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CRISIS AT HAND

Developments Expected Sunday in Chinese Feud

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Within 12 hours the police believe that the threatened clash between the Hep Sing Tong and the Ong Leung Tong societies will have begun.

Recent developments have convinced Captain Cain's men that three-quarters of Chinatown's residents are heavily armed. It is known that quantities of ammunition have been purchased by Chinese society members since the shooting last Friday and that dozens of chain shirts are being worn in anticipation of coming trouble.

Secret but certain information has been sent to the police that the funeral services over the body of the murdered Wong Yok Chung on Sunday will be the signal for an outbreak where men of both the rival tongs will in all likelihood prove victims.

But the trouble is apt to come even sooner—at any time after midnight Saturday, when Chinamen from all parts of the city and suburbs begin to pour in about Harrison avenue for the Sunday game. The meeting of opposite factions among the late arrivals is only too apt to lead to a repetition of last Friday night's tragedy.

Every Hep Sing Tong man will be in Chinatown on Sunday next. So will every member of the Ong Leung Tong. Imperative notices sent out from the headquarters of both organizations during the week make attendance at Sunday's funeral compulsory. And both sides, it is stated, are only too willing that the outbreak shall then begin.

In addition to these hundreds of other Chinamen who drop into Chinatown on Sunday for their weekly purchases will swell the population to considerably larger figures. This will make the arrest of the rioters, if the trouble does come, an exceedingly difficult proposition.

Probably the coolest man in Chinatown is Sin Tuy, the president of the Hep Sing Tongs. Though there is a price of $500 set upon his head by the Highbinders, and though the "hatchet men" are dogging his movements closely, he expresses the utmost contempt for the Ong Leong Tongs, and claims that his society will hold their own against their rivals whenever the clash comes.

"Let them try to put me out of the way, if they can," said he. "I am not afraid of the miserable Ong Leong Tongs. They are too How Days, Highbinders, 'hatchet men,' anything you like to call them. It takes about six of them to whip a Hep Sing Tong man. They are all cowards; they fight in the dark. I have seen 20 of them run like rats when they saw a policeman coming. The only thing I fear is that they will not dare to come out in the open. They will hide in cellars and doorways. They do not dare to meet a Hep Sing tong man face to face.

"If any man kills me to get $500 he is a fool. He would never get his money from these miserable Ong Leongs. They would kill him, too, to save expense.

"They won't dare attack my society. They are too cowardly to fight. If they saw a lot of us in a hole in the ground they would throw rocks on us and then run. They make me sick. Take drink much saki and talk big."

DRACUT LIBRARY.

Members of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the citizens of Dracut wish the public to know that the Dracut library is open on Saturdays from 3 a. m. till 5 p. m., and that the artistic memorial volume executed by Rose Turner and presented by Molly Varnum chapter can now be seen there.

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Former Socialist Agitator Will Tour Country

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9—Martha Moore Avery, for many years a prominent Socialist agitator, who is now endeavoring to create a strong sentiment against that party, will tour the state next week in support of her campaign.

Her route will include Haverhill, Lynn and other strongholds of socialism. While realizing the danger of turbulent scenes, Mrs. Avery announces a determination of waging a vigorous crusade.

"Socialism is controlled by several fanatics who make their headquarters in New York," said Mrs. Avery to a reporter yesterday. "Instead of standing for the workingmen's interest, it is an exponent of atheism and an enemy of moral and social laws. The rank and file of the party labor under a misunderstanding. They believe the organization will bring them better living conditions. This is not so. The only difference between anarchists and socialists is the superiority of the latter as politicians. They are not as stupid in their workings. Both aim at destruction. Only through the American Federation of Labor can the laboring people receive benefit.

"In their attacks the socialists recognize no spiritual power. They regard the country's institutions as owing their existence solely to industrial forces. They will not consider moral relationship until all oppressions have been abolished. Assuming the task of abolition, they declare the society will decide the moral question when its work has been completed.

"After 12 years of labor I am convinced that the socialist party menaces the welfare of the country. My change of faith commenced when George D. Herron, the present international secretary of the movement, married a woman upon being divorced from his wife. To my horror, socialists everywhere eulogized the ceremony."

INSTANTLY KILLED

RAILROAD MAN MET WITH HORRIBLE DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Gordon Beattie, employed by the Boston & Maine railroad, was instantly killed about 8.35 last night in the yard at the junction of the Eastern and Western divisions in Charlestown, while in the act of coupling the air hose of two freight cars, one of which was part of a train that was backing down to a stationary car. His head and body were crushed and his arms and left leg were broken.

Beattie was about 30 years old and married, and lived in Swampscott.

A NEW MONUMENT

WILL BE ERECTED TO THE SOLDIERS IN THE EDSON CEMETERY.

The Soldiers' Monument association met at City hall last evening and discussed plans for the future. Word was received from Mayor Howe that Huntington hall had been engaged for the association on December 9, 10 and 11. Whist parties will be held at the home of Mrs. Clough 15 Worthen street next Tuesday and at Post 88 hall a week later.

The monument will be in the Edson cemetery and whist parties and other entertainments will be held for the purpose of raising money to build the monument.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Cloudy tonight with rain in southern and southeastern portions. Saturday fair; Saturday cooler; brisk to high north to east winds.

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NAME FORGED

ON PAPER OF WORCESTER & SOUTHBRIDGE ROAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Oct. 9. David N. Carvalho, the New York handwriting expert, has declared the name of George W. Wells, as indorser of notes representing nearly $1,000,000 to be forged on paper of the Worcester & Southbridge street railway company, now in the hands of receivers.

The announcement is expected to have a decided effect upon the reorganization of plans of the company and his report, it is thought, will be more readily accepted by banks and individuals.

The decision of Mr. Carvalho strengthens a belief that officials of the road have had for some time. Until yesterday, however, establishment of the indorsements on many of the notes as forgeries was not possible.

It is pointed out that holders of the company's paper cannot expect to rely on the payment of notes bearing the indorsements on many of the notes as Southbridge. Also it is shown that in many instances these signatures have been declared forgeries. Those working in behalf of the organization feel confident that the plan soon to be submitted will be more acceptable when the Cavalho decision becomes generally understood.

FACULTY ACTS

WILL TAKE UP THE CHARGES AGAINST STUDENTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Oct. 9. Action by the faculty of Worcester Polytechnic institute may follow the junior class banquet at South Framingham Wednesday evening, where two of the students were arrested.

In court yesterday Frederick C. Daniels of Natick, a junior, was charged with larceny, and his case was continued one week. Roy T. Parker of Meriden, Conn., a freshman paid a fine of $5 on a charge of disturbing the peace.

The upper and lower classmen attempted to break up the junior banquet and the scenes which followed were considered sensational by residents of South Framingham.

Yesterday the students contributed to a fund to repair the damage at the hotel in South Framingham.

John E. Malone, Fall River, a member of the senior class, is today being attended by a physician. In a clash with fellow students he dislocated his right collarbone. Malone is a member of the football team and a well-known athlete. Last night Pres. Edmund A. Engler of the institute, said:

"The faculty is not prepared to make any statement yet. As a body we have not considered the banquet yet."

HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

While Joseph Carpentier, a fruit peddler, was driving through Coolidge street, yesterday afternoon, he attempted to turn into Hall street, but turning too short, the wagon overturned and Joe and the contents of the wagon were dumped into the street. He was unconscious when picked up, his face and right side being badly bruised and scratched.

He was taken to a nearby store and revived and was afterwards taken to his home.

FINGERS HURT

Accident in the B. & M. Freight Yard

Peter Kelley, employed on the Boston & Maine railroad, while at work in the freight yards this morning, had the third and fourth fingers of his right hand crushed between the couplings of a car and the engine.

He was taken to the Emergency hospital, where it was found that the third finger was badly lacerated while the fourth was pretty badly bruised. The fingers were dressed, and he later went to his home, 321 Fletcher street.

FAINTING SPELL

Man Just Discharged From Hospital

Peter Desilets, a man about 82 years of age, left the state hospital at Tewksbury this morning and came on a train to this city, but after getting off the train he was in such a weak condition that he fainted.

Word was sent to the ambulance station and when the ambulance arrived the man was unconscious.

He was removed to St. John's hospital, where he was revived and afterwards taken to the city farm.

ROBBER KILLED

Police Opened Fire on Highwaymen

By Associated Press to The Sun

AURORA, Ill., Oct. 9.—In a battle between three highwaymen and two policemen in Aurora last night, one of the men was killed and another injured.

The wounded man and his companion escaped.

Previous to the encounter with the policemen, the highwaymen held up an electric car of the River View Park branch of the Aurora Electric line, and after robbing the motorman and conductor of their valuables, took possession of the car and ran to within a short distance of the city limits. They were found later on a car bound for Chicago.

WM. T. SELLERS

PLEADED GUILTY TO ASSAULT CHARGE

Henry Belinger of Lawrence was put on trial on a charge of causing the death of Pinccio Moran, in the superior criminal court in Salem, yesterday afternoon. He pleaded guilty, and the case was taken from the jury and continued until the January term for sentence.

William T. Sellers of Andover, a lawrence newspaper man pleaded guilty to assaulting Simon T. Mayer with a revolver and was placed on probation.

James W. Robbins a young man from Lynnfield pleaded guilty to burning a little pet pen in that town which belonged to Frederick Lingelin. He was probated.

Floyd T. Ferris a former employee of the American Express company, in Lynn, was sentenced to the house of correction for one year for stealing $217.50 from the company.

William E. Scarroff of Boston was fined $25 for driving his automobile in Beverly faster than the legal rate. A fine was imposed on Rudolph L. Akassiz for a similar offence.

IN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

JESUIT PRIESTS WILL HAVE CHARGE OF RELIGIOUS WORK.

The religious work in the leading Catholic educational institutions for women in Boston will be controlled exclusively by Jesuit priests during the present school year, three of these clergymen having been appointed as spiritual directors for the young women students.

Rev. Joseph H. Rockwell, SJ, vice president of Boston college, will have charge of the religious society known as the Children of Mary, connected with the academy of Notre Dame, on Berkeley street.

Rev. Thomas I. Gasson, SJ, professor of ethics at the college, will have charge of the pupils at the academy of the Sacred Heart, Massachusetts avenue, and will also direct the religious work of a society composed of alumnae of the school.

Rev. William M. McDonough, SJ, of the church of the Immaculate Conception, will have the direction of the pupils' sodalities at the academy of Notre Dame, Roxbury.

RAISED WAGES

CEMETERY TRUSTEES VOTE INCREASE TO LABORERS.

The cemetery trustees met yesterday afternoon, with Robert W. Mountford, John L. Stevens, Supt. Walton and His Honor, Mayor Howe present. It was voted to increase the pay of men employed in the cemetery from $1.75 a day to $1.75. This action was anticipated by the beneficiaries who drew up a vote of thanks and placed it before the trustees.

It was voted to obtain plans and specifications for a barn and shed for the cemetery. Other improvements were discussed, and routine business was transacted.

You can't expect to weave white satin with blackened hands, any more than you can expect good results from papers with a bogus circulation.

BADLY INJURED

Automobile Wrecked on Broadway Bridge

Ex-Mayor Fifield was slightly injured and his father quite seriously injured in an automobile accident that happened on the bridge in Broadway, near Wilson's coal office at 10.30 this forenoon.

The front axle of the machine broke and the machine, driven by electricity, capsized, throwing Mr. Fifield and his father to the ground and in the course of its maneuvering, the machine landed on both men, holding them prisoners until help arrived.

The batteries were still thumping away and the wires had to be cut before the wheels stopped revolving. Mr. Fifield was able to assist in caring for his father, who was unconscious. He was badly cut about the head. It is thought that one shoulder is dislocated and that he is internally injured. The ex-mayor was bruised about the head, face and body, but it is thought that his injuries are not necessarily serious.

The older man was cared for at Wilson's coal office until the arrival of the ambulance, which was summoned immediately upon the occurrence of the accident.

Mr. Fifield did not regain consciousness and was removed to his son's home, corner of Middlesex and Canton streets.

The machine is a total wreck. The spokes in all the wheels were broken and the top was torn off. The sides of the machine were stripped. The centre of gravity of the machine was quite high, higher than the ordinary machine, so that the fall was more severe. Those who witnessed the accident say that the front wheels caught in a spread rail and the pressure brought to bear in an attempt to release it, broke the axle.

The elder Fifield's name is Sylvester. He is 85 years of age and the doctors fear that his injuries will prove too much for him. At the time of writing he was still unconscious and Dr. Irish was attending to him.

LIKE EXPLOSION

Plate Glass Smashed on Merrimack Street

WITH CRASH LIKE AN EXPLOSION

A Draught of Air Caused Accident

A draught of air from within the Ginter Grocery store on Merrimack street caused the big door of the store to close suddenly with a crash this morning that startled everyone within hearing distance.

The big plate glass window in the door fell out upon the sidewalk and was broken into a thousand pieces. The noise badly frightened many people, who were nearby, and some thought that another explosion had overtaken the city.

DEATHS

TETREAULT—Marie Anne Merlida, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Narcisse Tetreault of 82 Austin street, died Wednesday at her parents' residence of the age of 13 years 1 month and 11 days. Deceased was a pupil of the Sisters' school, and a member of the Sodalities of the Children of Mary, of the Propagation of the Faith and of the Sacred Heart.

BARRETT—John P. Barrett, aged 1 month and 5 days, infant son of John and Bridget, died last night at the home of his parents, 218 Adams street.

WILBUR—Elizabeth Wilbur, aged 44 years, wife of John Wilbur, died last night at her home, 231 Gorham street. She is survived by one son, James, and a sister, Mrs. Frank Lane.

HARRISON—Mary Harrison, aged 72 years, died last night at her home, 90 Court street. She leaves to mourn her loss besides her husband, William, two brothers, Steve and Thomas Riley of Waltham, one sister, Mrs. Richard Healy of Fall River, and one daughter, Mary Gleason.

ATTACK OF APPENDICITIS.

Dolphis Tebeau, aged 22 years, was taken suddenly ill while at work at the Tremont & Suffolk mills Wednesday and was removed to his home. An examination yesterday showed that he was suffering from appendicitis and he was taken in the ambulance to the Lowell hospital.

FIFTEEN YEARS

FOR MAN WHO ASSAULTED LITTLE GIRL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALFRED, Me., Oct. 9.—William Nason, alias Pete Shackley of Springvale, who Wednesday pleaded guilty to felonious assault upon a 7-year-old girl, was sentenced in the supreme court yesterday to 15 years' imprisonment.

In pronouncing sentence Judge Peabody said: "I am as well aware that the public clamors for vengeance in this case as though I could hear the mob outside the courthouse door. The prisoner cannot live more than 10 years in state prison."

The judge expressed his sentiment as to the clamor for vengeance after County Atty. Emery, in urging for the extreme penalty for the offence, which is confinement for life, had said:

"If such a crime were committed in the south the man would never reach a jail."

Nason was bound over to the grand jury from the Sanford municipal court. It was thought at one time that he would be lynched before the officers could get him to the county jail. He has served a sentence of five years in New Hampshire for attempted felonious assault.

VENISON SEIZED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CALAIS, Me., Oct. 9.—Warden Ross seized two saddles of venison in cases from the Boston steamer shipped from Calais to a Boston party late yesterday. Warden Ross expects to prove the game was bought in Canada and brought over the line.

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90 WARSHIPS

Russian Fleet Has Arrived at Masaupho

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Oct. 8—Official information received here shows that a formidable Russian fleet, comprising 90 warships of all classes has left Port Arthur and has arrived at Masaupho, south of Corea, where the Japanese fleet has already arrived.

The Russian ships have anchored within the Masaupho harbor alongside the Japanese ships.

Several brigades of Russian troops have been moved forward to the Corean boundary and are now encamped on the border.

Diplomatic negotiations are still proceeding at Tokio. These do not relate to the evacuation of Manchuria by the Russian troops, but to the future of Corea.

GENERAL SANGER

TELLS OF CENSUS WORK IN PHILIPPINES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8. General J. P. Sanger, former chief of staff of General Chaffee but latterly in charge of the census work in the Philippines, has arrived from Manila on his way to Washington.

The census taking began on March 2, and in six weeks it will be completed. Two months preparatory work was necessary before the task was undertaken. It was accomplished by the assistance of 7000 enumerators and the government today is in possession of 7,000,000 names, representing the civilized portion of the native population of the island. By carefully compiled figures, the civilized population is placed at 600,000.

In discussing the work General Sanger said:

There was no serious opposition encountered in any of the larger islands, and this was especially true of Samar and Leyte, where there was no interference whatever with the enumerators.

In the island of Gamagain, north of the province of Misamis, Mindanao, the enumerators were threatened and opposed, and it was necessary to use force, but Gov. Carrales thought the demonstration had other objects in view and that the census merely precipitated the movement.

"Vicious people in Cebu spread a report that taxation was the real purpose in taking the census, and in two or three barrios of Pueblo some objection was made to it."

NOT INSURRECTOS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANILA, Oct. 8—The Supreme court in confirming the conviction of a number of ladrones sentenced to imprisonment for life, gives as its opinion that the late San Miguel band of brigands were not insurrectos.

LARGE SILK SALE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—Probably the largest silk auction sale ever held has just been completed in this city. Buyers were present from nearly every large city in the country. About 13,000 pieces of goods were sold for a total of $900,000. The sale was for the account of a large manufacturer who desired to reduce stock

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MEATS AND PROVISIONS.

CHINESE TREATY

Has Been Signed at Shanghai

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—Announcement is made at the state department that the Chinese-American treaty was signed today and that the Japanese-American treaty will be signed this afternoon.

The treaty was signed at Shanghai.

MAINE BAPTISTS FUND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCKLAND, Me., Oct. 8. Treasurer H. M. Malling of Portland, reported a satisfactory financial condition of the Maine Baptist anniversaries at the opening of today's session. The receipts for current expense account were $12,328, and the disbursements $12,322. The receipts from funds were $29,980, the net increase of funds $20,987, and the total funds and property on hand $161,201.

The executive committee was practically to the same effect.

Reports of the board by Rev. I. R. Mower of South Berwick, and of the Evangelistic committee by Rev. G. W. Hinckley of East Fairfield, were heard. The foreign addresses were made by Rev. J. K. Wilson, D. D., of Portland, on "The New Evangelism," and by the missionaries, Rev. C. E. Young, Rev. Nathan Hunt and Rev. E. A. A. Kilham. This was followed by discussion of the state work. Reports of committees, foreign missions, Sunday school, publications, enrollment, plure and preacher reforms occupied the afternoon.

MARICO CEBELLOS

APPOINTED ARBITRATOR OF THE SALA CLAIM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN DOMINGO, Republic of Santo Domingo, Oct. 8—The Dominican government yesterday appointed Marico Ceballes to be arbitrator in the case of the Sala claim.

The country is quiet but business is dull.

The Sala case is that of a Frenchman who lent money and supplied munitions of war, aggregating about $215,000 to the then president Hereaux of Santo Domingo.

The Dominican government at first recognized the claim, but afterwards contested it. M. Sala died, leaving his claim to his wife, an American.

Minister Powell was instructed to effect a settlement.

FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 8.—A large representation of club women of this state were forced to attend the opening of the Maine Federation of Women's clubs two days' convention in a heavy downpour of rain today. President Mrs. George D. Armstrong of Lewiston, Me., called the meeting to order and invocation was pronounced by Rev. Lewis Malvern of this city. Response to a hearty welcome by Mrs. F. M. Houghton, president of the Portland Woman's Literary union, was made by Mrs. Mary S. Hill, general federation secretary.

The routine business was disposed of in the forenoon.

JOHN REDMOND

Says Irish Party Will Hold Balance of Power

And That Ireland Will Gain Home Rule, No Matter Which Party is in Power

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 8. Irish nationalist opinion at Premier Balfour's reconstructed cabinet is voiced in a telegram from John Redmond, the Irish leader, to the Associated Press as follows:

"Dublin, Oct. 8, 1903.

"The reconstructed cabinet is in its personnel incomparably weaker than it was. No new man of any mark has been added to it. Arnold-Forester is careful and industrious, but he is a most commonplace official.

"Alfred Lyttleton is entirely unknown outside of the cricket field.

"Austen Chamberlain's promotion to the chancellorship would under other circumstances be denounced as a job; but it is rightly regarded as an audacious, characteristic manoeuvre of his father to gain ground by his resignation and at the same time keep his grip on the cabinet.

"It goes without saying that the government cannot last. The description of the Duke of Devonshire gave it its knockout blow. Whether it will meet parliament in January, or not, is very doubtful. But if it does, I believe it will not last a week unless the Irish party comes to its rescue. We are not overmuch concerned in the merits of its fiscal policy. What we are concerned about is reform of the abuses in Ireland and the restoration of our national government, and we do not very much care from which English party we obtain our rights.

"We stand to win, however the situation develops. From now onward I believe we shall hold the balance of power in the House of Commons.

(Signed) JOHN REDMOND."

COWBOYS BEATEN

YOUNG WOMAN WON THE STEER ROPING CONTEST.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 8. A dispatch from South McAlester, I. T., says: Miss Lucille Mahall, 18 years, and a friend of President Roosevelt, has won the $1,000 steer roping contest here, defeating the best known cowboys in the southwest.

The conditions were that three steers were to be roped and tied in the fastest time and the contest was open to all. Miss Mahall threw her first steer and tied it up in 42 seconds.

The second required one minute and 11 seconds, while the third was roped, thrown and tied in 40 seconds.

HELD IN $7500

MRS. JOHNSON ENTERED PLEA OF NOT GUILTY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 8—Mrs. Mary Layton Johnson, who is charged with the embezzlement of several thousands of dollars from the American Playing Card company of Cincinnati, entered a plea of not guilty in the court of general sessions today to five indictments charging forgery and grand larceny. The defense contends that an officer of the company is the guilty person and had witnesses and books in police court yesterday to offer in support of this contention. Bail was fixed at $7500.

TWO INDICTMENTS

MEN CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY TO BRIBE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 8 Daniel V. Miller, formerly assistant attorney general for the post office department, and Attorney Joseph Johns were indicted by the United States grand jury today, charged with conspiracy to bribe.

Daniel V. Miller was employed as second assistant to Attorney General Tyner of the postoffice department. Joseph Johns was an attorney at Rockville, Ind., where he was arrested May 27. Miller was arrested the same day in his office at Washington.

The allegations upon which the arrests were based was a charge of conspiracy to bribe John J. Ryan of J. J. Ryan & Co., turf commissioners.

GRAND SPECTACLE

THE MAUNALOAS OUTBREAK IS A HEAVY ONE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HONOLULU, Oct. 8.—Further advices state that the Maunaloas outbreak is very heavy. The flowing lava makes a grand spectacle. Excursions are being arranged from Honolulu. A wireless message from Hilo to the Alvardesar says the volcano is very active and that the lava flow is going toward the Kahuku cattle ranch. A messenger reports that two streams of lava, very wide, may be seen from Volcano House, Kilauea and all parts of the Kona plantation. The glow is visible in Hilo. It is believed that the lava will break out further down the mountain. No plantations or settlements are endangered by the lava flow and the eruption will be without material damage.

AID FOR MACEDONIA

SOUGHT BY MEMBER OF COMMITTEE OF SOFIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8. Dr. S. J. Shoomkoff, of the Macedonian benevolent committee of Sofia, has arrived here on a mission to secure aid for the Macedonians.

He is a graduate of the Department of Philosophy of the University of Pennsylvania, and also a graduate of the University of Chicago. Recently he returned to his native country.

"We have waited for twenty-five years," he said, "since the treaty of Berlin, for the inauguration of the reforms and for the establishment of home rule, that were promised by it. Instead we have been the slaves of the Turks disfranchised in every court, our women taken ruthlessly from our homes, our goods and our lives placed absolutely at the mercy of those who are merciful only when they kill.

"It may seem strange to say we are not trying to form a government in Macedonia. But such is the fact. Our warfare is conducted simply with a view to force Bulgaria to fight Turkey.

GERMAN PROFESSOR DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 8.—Rudolf Lipschitz, professor of mathematics at Bonn University, is dead.

CONSUL McWADE

Mentioned in Connection With Frauds

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANILA, Oct. 8—1.15 p. m.—The name of Consul McWade, stationed at Canton, is also mentioned as a beneficiary under the contract unearthed by Collector of Customs Shuster, in connection with the scheme to bring in Chinese coolies under the guise of merchants to the Philippine islands, entering through this port. The collector has accumulated other evidence to connect other consuls with the alleged frauds. The conspirators have, it is said, already issued many forged certificates assigning a former residence in the Philippines under which Chinese have been admitted here. Carl Johnson who is also mentioned as a beneficiary under the contract, is a brother of Burlingame Johnston, the former consul at Amoer, where he himself was located as acting consul.

BRIDGE DESTROYED

ATTEMPT MADE TO WRECK A TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 8. A dispatch from Helena, Mont., says: Northern Pacific officials have received word that a bridge near here has been blown up. It is believed to be the work of blackmails who have for two months been demanding $50,000 from the railroad, carrying out their threats by wrecking train and destroying property by dynamite.

MISS MARTIN WILL WED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 8—Miss Mabel Martin, niece of the Bradley Martins of New York, will be married here next week in the Albany hospital to Mr. Frank F. Seeley of New York city. Her wedding had been set when she was taken ill and had to undergo an operation. It was determined, however, not to change the date.

COMPOSER DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—Peter A. Schnecker, widely known as a composer of church music, has been found dead in bed at his home here. During the past 22 years he served as organist of the West Presbyterian church, having been absent only four times.

OLYMPIA ROQUE TOURNAMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 8—The Olympia Roque committee, consisting of Charles Jacobus of Springfield, Mass., William H. Wahly of Washington, D. C., and Hon. G. C. Strong of New London, Conn., after a conference with J. E. Sullivan, chief of the department of physical culture, has decided to hold an olympic roque tournament in conjunction with the olympic games at St. Louis during the world's fair, and two weeks Monday, August 1, to Saturday, August 13 inclusive, have been set aside for the tournament.

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By Associated Press to The Sun

LEOMINSTER, Mass., Oct. 8—For services which he claims to have performed is assisting Albert W. French of Ashburnham, to obtain a wife, Erastus J. Walker of Fitchburg has brought a common law suit against French to recover a commission of $1000. The case is to be heard in the police court at Fitchburg October 17.

Mr. Walker, who is a real estatae dealer and socialist leader, asserts that he made it possible for the Ashburnham man to become acquainted with a woman whom he subsequently married. Counsel for Mr. French says a general denial of the allegations will be filed.

PRIVATE DOWD

SET FREE ON THE CHARGE OF SHOOTING WM. CROWLEY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Oct. 8—Private John Dowd, the United States sentry who shot and killed William Crowley near the United States arsenal here a few weeks ago, was released from confinement today, the verdict of the court martial being not guilty. The finding of the court was fully upheld by Major General Chaffee.

SCHOONER ASHORE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HONOLULU, Oct. 8.—The American schooner Allie Fjord, laden with lumber, from Eureka, Cal., is ashore off the entrance to this harbor, but it is believed she will be floated on the next high tide.

ADVENT CONFERENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BRIDGTON, Me., Oct. 8 The first business meeting of the Maine Advent Christian conference was held this morning.

The first business was the appointment and report of the committee on credentials, who announced the presence of an unusually large number of delegates.

The appointment of special committees, hearing of the stancing of ministerial members, and the consideration of miscellaneous matters followed. Good progress was shown in the reports of the secretary and treasurer.

WAGES INCREASED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 8—After a conference of nine hours between the Big Four boiler makers and representatives of the railroad an agreement was reached today. The men will receive 32 cents an hour—an advance of two cents.

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YARNOLD CASE

Suit for Damages Against Bowers Brothers

The case of Yarnold, ad'x, vs. Bowers et al., was resumed this morning. Miss Ida M. Cook, who was on the stand at the adjournment of court yesterday, resumed her testimony. In answer to questions asked by Lawyer Donahue, witness described the accident, her testimony corroborating that of Walter Thorne.

On cross-examination Miss Cook described the course of the steamer to the best of her ability. She said she went to Willow Dale in the evening with Miss Thorne. Continuing she said: "The meeting with Yarnold and Thorne was accidental. When we embarked I sat in the bow of the boat, Walter Thorne was on the seat in front of me. Walter's back was toward me. George Yarnold sat on the next seat and Miss Thorne sat in the stern of the boat. Miss Thorne was the only one in the boat who was facing me. It was a dark night, there being no moon, but the stars were shining. Before we left the shore my mother said 'Look out for the steamer, Walter.' I knew that the steamer was somewhere between the boat landing and Willow Dale, for it was not at the Willow Dale landing. I knew that we would meet the steamer for we were in the line of it. When I saw the steamer I said to Walter Thorne: 'Look out for the steamer, Walter.' I could see a ray of light on the steamer. I heard the whistle but could not say whether or not I heard it before or after I turned around in the boat. I do not think that the course of the rowboat was changed immediately after I made reference to the steamer."

Witness then told of the conversation between Yarnold and some person on the steamboat, it being practically the same as that testified to by Walter Thorne.

"I closed my eyes when the shock came and I was struck on the side of the head. The whistle on the steamer blew after the steamer ran into our boat."

On rebuttal witness said that she saw lights coming from the inside of the boat, but saw none on the top or around the outside of the steamer.

The next witness was Miss Margaret Thorne, who testified to sitting in the stern of the rowboat. She then went on to relate the course taken by the rowboat, her first sight of the steamboat and what was done by the occupants of the rowboat. She corroborated the testimony of the two previous witnesses.

Robert A. Dunbar, when placed on the witness stand, said: "I was standing on the shore at Willow Dale listening to the concert when I heard the whistle on the steamer blowing. I saw that the steamer was stopped and thinking that something was the matter, I rushed around towards Jewett's cottage. Just before arriving, I heard a woman scream and thinking that some one was drowning, I took off my coat and was going to jump into the water.

"I heard that George Yarnold had been knocked overboard. I heard that he had been picked up by the men in the steamboat and was on board the boat. When the steamer started for the wharf I ran around after it and went on board. There was no one on board at the time. There was but one light on the boat and that was on the pilot house. I also noticed that there were no life preservers on board."

Charles E. Caskin, who was at Willow Dale sitting on the piazza at the time of the accident, told of hearing the whistle blow and running around with the people, towards the Jewett cottage, where he saw the steamboat and the rowboat. Afterwards he went around to the wharf and went on board the steamer.

Witness saw a number of people on the boat, but did not know who they were.

Arthur E. Hunt testified to being on the piazza at Willow Dale at the time of the accident and running down to the steamboat wharf, arriving there about the same time as the boat arrived. The remainder of his testimony was substantially the same as the two previous witnesses.

John A. Weinbeck, a local undertaker, testified to caring for Yarnold's body, and said that when he first saw the body there was a mark on the left side of the temple, another on the back side of the nose and another under the jaw.

Richard M. Yarnold, father of the drowned boy, when placed on the stand, said: "After hearing of the accident I started for Willow Dale and arrived there at ten minutes before twelve that night. The hotel and other houses were closed for the night and I then went to where Mr. Bowers lived. I told him who I was and he said that nobody had been drowned. He said that the steamer had struck a row boat and knocked some people into the water, but that one of the persons had been picked up by the steamer and that the other had swam ashore. I told him that my boy had been drowned and I made arrangements to go out next day and search for the body.

"I reached Willow Dale at six o'clock the next morning and went out in a boat with grappling irons and located the body at ten minutes of one in the afternoon. The grappling iron caught him by the ankle and the body was found about 70 feet from the shore. My boy could swim and was a good oarsman."

The government rested its case at this point.

The first witness for the defence was Oliver Preville, the engineer on the steamboat. Witness testified as follows: "I am the engineer on the steamer and was at my post on the night of the accident. The steamer is about 10 horse power and is licensed to carry 150 people. Thomas Carrick was the captain of the boat. It took about ten minutes to make the trip from one wharf to the other."

"You remember the night of the accident?" asked Mr. Bent. About what rate of speed was the steamer running at that time?"

"About five or six miles an hour."

"What kind of a night was it?"

"A dark night."

"Stars shining?"

"Yes, sir."

"You were going to Willow Dale when the accident occurred?"

"Yes, sir."

"Where was it the custom to blow the whistle when coming back?"

"At Rocky point."

"Who blows the whistle?"

"The pilot."

"What lights were ordinarily carried on the steamer at that time?"

"I object," said Mr. Donahue, and the question was excluded.

"What lights were on the steamer on the night in question?" asked Mr. Bent.

"Two on the roof. One green and one red."

"What was the first thing you knew of any accident?"

"I didn't really know that there was any accident."

"What first called your attention to it?"

"A hollering and noise."

"Did you know anything about boats striking each other?"

"I heard a blow. I was in the engine room at the time."

"What did you do then?"

"I stopped."

"How is the signal given to you to go ahead or stop?"

"One bell is to stop. It is given by the pilot. Two is to reverse."

"Do you remember whether or not you received any signal to stop that night?"

Mr. Donahue objected to this question, stating that the question had been answered. Reference was made to the stenographer's notes and it was found that the question had been answered.

Witness said that when accident occurred he stopped the boat. The steamer was stopped eight or ten minutes. He could not say where the boat was when the accident happened, but when the boat stopped it was in front of the Jewett cottage.

"Whether or not the boat carried any life preservers?"

"Yes, sir."

"Where were they?"

"Under the seats of the boat."

"Can you say whether or not any were thrown out that night?"

"I could not."

Bernard A. McNabb was the next witness. He testified to being a brother-in-law of the defendants and was on the boat on the night of the accident. Witness named the other people who were on board. He said that the boat carried a red and green light on the night of the accident. It happened about 9.30 o'clock. Witness was not acquainted with the occupants of the little boat.

Continuing, witness said: "When I first saw the little boat it was about 15 feet away from us. There were four people in the boat. At the time that I saw the boat I heard the bell given by the captain to stop the steamer. That was before the collision occurred. The captain gave one bell and immediately afterwards two bells were given. When the boat stopped I grabbed a life preserver to throw out if I saw anyone in the water, but I didn't see anyone. I took a light from the pilot house and went around to the back of the boat and shadowed it along the water to see if I could see anyone in the water.

"Before the collision I saw some one stand up in the rowboat, but I did not know who it was. This person was standing in the rear of the boat. He fell into the water.

"I heard the occupants of the rowboat shouting for help when the accident occurred. I didn't hear anyone shout 'Look out!' or anything like that. The captain hollered for the occupants of the boat to 'Look out.'"

Witness said he saw Thorne afterwards at the pavilion at Willow Dale drying his clothes. He further testified that Thorne was speaking to some people.

On cross-examination witness said that he never paid any fare when riding on the boat and that he was familiar with Willow Dale for the past 15 years. He said that there was nothing to obstruct his view on the night of the accident. Witness saw quite a number of boats on the water that night.

Witness said: "I was about seven or eight feet from Capt. Carrick. I saw the boat, but said nothing to Carrick, for the people in the boat were supposed to look out for themselves. If I was standing on the wharf at Willow Dale I could see the boat at the other wharf at Lakeview."

Raymond Walcott, who was on the steamer on the night of the accident, told of seeing the small boat strike the steamer. Witness saw one of the occupants of the row boat go into the water, but later on a cry came from the shore: "Go on he has swam ashore."

Court adjourned for the noon recess at this point.

The first witness called in the afternoon was Thomas Carrick, who testified in part as follows: "My name is Thomas Carrick. I am a weaver by trade and also a pilot on the Willow Dale steamer during the summer time." The license to act as pilot made out with witness' name was then brought into evidence. "I started piloting in 1898, one season before accident occurred."

"What were your duties on the steamer?" asked Mr. Bent.

"Pilot on the steamer."

"What was your ordinary position in the boat?"

"In the pilot house in front of the boat."

"Standing in the pilot house in what direction can you see from there?"

"Right and left and straight ahead. There are three windows in the house."

"At the time of the accident you were returning from the wharf at the entrance to Willow Dale?"

"Yes, sir."

"What kind of a night was it?"

"It was a dark night."

"Were the lights that the jury saw on the boat yesterday the same lights that were on the boat at the time of the accident, or were there lights in the same position as those yesterday?"

"Yes, sir."

"At what rate of speed was the steamer going that night?"

"About five or six miles an hour; a moderate speed."

"Where were you when the boats came together?"

"I was at my place at the wheel."

"The boat was about 25 or 30 feet away from me when I first saw the boat. I had blown the whistle at Rocky point less than a minute before I discovered the row boat. I had just changed my course as is customary at Rocky point, and seeing that there was no chance for me to get into the deep water I rang one bell for the engineer to stop the boat and then gave him two bells to reverse. In the meantime I threw the wheel around so that the prow of the steamer would not strike the boat. I did not see where the little boat struck us, but it must have been below the pilot house.

"After the boat had stopped I took a lantern and reflected it in the water to see if any one was there. There were quite a number of rowboats on the scene about this time. I heard somebody on the shore shout: "All right" and then some one shouted: "Your drifting ashore Tommy." When I heard them shout "All right," I gave the signal for the boat to start and we proceeded to the wharf. I did not hear any of the occupants of the rowboat shouting, but I hollered "Look out," just as soon as I saw the little boat.

At this point the court asked witness if there were any currents in the water, and Carrick answered that there were springs.

On cross-examination Lawyer Donahue asked witness the following question:

"You never studied navigation?"

"No, sir," answered the witness.

"Do you have a night glass on the boat?"

"A what?"

"Do you know what a night glass is?"

"No, sir."

"Never heard of such a thing?"

"No, sir."

"You say you had two lights on top of the boat on the night of the accident, one green and the other red?"

"Yes, sir."

"Why are the lights different color?"

"One shows the port side and the other the starboard side of the boat."

McKINLEY AGAIN

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THE SEVENTH DISTRICT CONVENTION LAST EVENING

Hill Elected to State Committee

The seventh district republican senatorial convention was held in republican headquarters last evening and Hon. James H. McKinley was re-nominated by acclamation.

C. W. Dana called to order and was elected temporary chairman, with Charles A. Richardson temporary secretary.

The following credential committee was named by the chair:

Francis E. Saunders, Ward One; William Hardy, Ward Two; George A. Faneuf, Ward Three, James E. Howarth, Ward Four; James F. Walker, Ward Six; E. S. Howe, Ward Seven; G. L. Fowler, Ward Eight; Enoch Mills, Dracut; Charles Scribner, Chelmsford.

The committee performed its work and made the following report:

Whole number of delegates to which the district is entitled, 40; delegates present, 26. The report was accepted, after which the organization was made permanent.

Nominations were then in order and Joseph E. Legare arose and nominated Hon. James H. McKinley.

Oliver D. Wilder of Ward Three seconded the nomination and it was made by acclamation.

Alonzo G. Walsh was nominated for the state central committee, but he declined, stating that he thought the chairman of the city committee should be the member and accordingly James G. Hill was elected.

George L. Fowler, Joseph Legare and Charles Scribner were appointed a committee to round up the candidate and lead him in, which they did.

He boomed the ticket from top to bottom.

The following district committee was elected:

C. W. Dana, Ward One; Arthur Keddy, Ward Two; C. S. Coburn, Ward Three; J. E. Howarth, Ward Four; James F. Walker, Ward Six; E. S. Howe, Ward Seven; Horton Hilton, Ward Eight; H. W. Sweetsir, Chelmsford; James Baxter, Dracut.

The convention adjourned at 8.50.

OFFICER KANE

Stopped Men Who Drove Jaded Horse

A jaded horse with a dangling hoof, attracted the attention of Officer Kane in Lawrence street, on his way home this morning. The poor brute was limping along, while two miserable-hearted men, or apologies for men, comfortably seated in the wagon to which the abused animal was attached, swore at and abused the poor horse, whose heart was bleeding with the pain of a diseased hoof.

The horse's foot had been "nerved," a criminal process, for which the minimum fine, we believe, is $500. Officer Kane held the team and put a man in charge to see to it that the men did not drive away, while he went in search of the agent of the Humane society.

While the officer was gone, however, the driver made his escape and the other fellow said he was only a passenger, that he had accepted a ride and that he did not know the owner of the team. He understood from the man, he said, that he intended to sell the team in Lowell. The horse's condition was such that it was deemed best to kill him.

DEATHS

MAYNARD—Miss Julia Maynard, daughter of the late John Maynard, of this city, died this morning at her home, 135 Broadway, Methuen. Deceased was 71 years of age and resided in Lowell the greater part of her life. From this city she removed to Boston and about two years ago took up her residence in Methuen. She was ill for six months. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. R. Cushman of Cambridge. The funeral will occur at noon Saturday, and the remains will be interred in the family lot in this city.

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GEORGE GARDNER

Is Resting Prior to Training Again

FOR HIS BOUT WITH BOB FITZSIMMONS

"Mike" Cushing Returns to Lowell

Mr. Michael Cushing of Gorham street, old time chum of George Gardner, has returned to his home in this city after a prosperous tour of the west and south, with Gardner, exhibiting pictures of the Gardner-Root contest at Fort Erie, while George met all comers on the side.

Mr Cushing brought home with him a fine bundle of money for Gardner's parents, from the thoughtful son and didn't appear to be at all short himself. He left George at West Baden Springs, Indiana, where the latter is resting prior to going to San Francisco to train for his match with Bob Fitzsimmons on Novmbre 25.

In an interview with the Sun reporter, last night, Mr. Cushing said:

"George is bigger than ever, and faster than ever. He weighs 172 at the present time, but will fight at something like 165, Fitz having agreed to get down to 168.

"During the past few weeks we have been through the South as far as Texas with the moving pictures and a sort of a vaudeville show. George had a sparring partner, and after a short bout each day, he offered to give $100 to any man who would stay with him four rounds. He did not forfeit the money once, for the reason that about every man who came before him, quit in the first or second rounds.

"The show made money and when Gardner got back to Chicago, he packed away a big wad in the bank, besides which he gave me a generous roll to bring home to his parents in Lowell. In addition to the profits derived by the tour through the south, George was very fortunate on the race track, quitting about $10,000 to the good. He received many tips from horse owners and jockeys, who were well known to him, and in that way placed his money on the winners in most cases. He became so interested in the sport that he bought four fast horses, all of which are in Chicago at the present time. These horses will be used on the track next summer.

"Jack Root of Chicago, who was twice defeated by Gardner for the light heavyweight championship, was in Chicago for several weeks after the last fight and met George occasionally. No enmity existed between them, so far as I could see,—certainly none on George's part. To both of these men boxing is a business, pure and simple, and when a contest is over enmity ceases, so that during the several times in which Root and Gardner met they were on friendly terms. Root and his manager, Houseman, admitted that Gardner was too much. Houseman is one of the greatest schemers in the business.

"As to my present plans I am not certain. George wants me to go out to San Francisco and help train him for his battle with Fitzsimmons, but I haven't made up my mind whether to accept his invitation or not. We have always been chums and I will certainly be with him if such a thing is possible when he meets Fitz. After the fight is over Gardner will return to Lowell to have a rest at the home of his parents, who live in Gorham street."

EVENING SCHOOL

Truant Officer Examines Operatives in Mill

IN QUEST OF EVENING SCHOOL PUPILS

Those Who Can't Read Must Attend

Truant Commissioner Thornton is making his annual tour of the mills examining operatives under 21 as to their ability to read and write, prior to the opening of the evening schools, the law requiring that all who cannot read and write must go to evening school if they care to continue their work.

In the Lawrence hosiery he found that nearly fifty per cent. of those whom he examined will have to go to school. Many of the young people dislike the idea of going to evening school and when they can dodge the examination no longer they offer all sorts of schemes to "fix" things so that they will not have to go to school.

U. S. SUB TREASURER DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Oct. 8—N. W. Spaulding, who was mayor of Oakland, Cal., for five terms and was sub-treasurer of the U. S. mint under President Hayes, died in this city, today, aged 74 years. Mr. Spaulding came to New Britain July 1, to develop some patents in which he was interested. He was a trustee of Leland Stanford university and was a 33rd degree mason.

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HUSBAND SHOT

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Woman Protected Her Little Child

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—Suffering from many injuries, received in an attempt to defend the wife of William O'Keefe from an attack by her husband, Policeman Edsall of the Bronx shot and seriously wounded O'Keefe. The latter had recently been released from the city prison and returned home, where he attacked his wife with a club. She carried her baby in her arms and in order to protect it, received the blows without flinching. Neighbors summoned Policeman Edsall and the brutal husband turned the attack in his direction. He fought it off until beaten nearly unconscious and then shot O'Keefe. The woman was so badly hurt that she had to be treated at the hospital.

RAMOS SURRENDERED

WAS LEADER OF BAND OF LADRONES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANILA, Oct. 8.—4.15 p. m.—Julian Ramos, a leader of a band of Ladrones in the province of Cavite, has surrendered to the authorities.

Noriel, a former officer of insurrectos, has been arrested and charged with aiding and abetting the Ladrones operating in Cavite.

STRUCK BY CAR

FOURTEEN OCCUPANTS OF WAGON WERE INJURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 8—A west bound Chelsea Park trolley car last night struck a wagon containing 14 persons in Kansas City, Kas. All the occupants of the wagon were more or less seriously injured. Mrs. Edna Barker of Wellborn, Kas., may die.

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

10.10 a. m.—Opening prices turned downwards to the extent of small fractions. There was a conspicuous pressure against Amalgamated Copper of 1,200 shares sold at 38 3-4 and 38 3-8 compared with 38 7-8 last night. Chicago & Alton pfd. lost a point.

11 a. m.—The stock market showed little disposition to recover when pressure was relaxed for a time after the opening and fresh selling orders were put out in all directions. The metal stocks were sold freely, notably U. S. Steel and Amalgamated. The U. S. Steel stocks yielded a point each, the common touching 15 5-8. Amalgamated and Tennessee Coal lost 2 1-4 each and Smelting, Western Union, Ice pfd., and Metropolitan Street Railway 1 to 1 5-8. Railroad stocks all receded large fractions.

Noon—Declines ran to about a point in St. Paul, Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Missouri Pacific, Rock Island, Louisville, the Erie and Manhattan. A pause in the selling led to only a trivial rally and the downward course was resumed. Sugar lost 2 3-4 and Consolidated Gas 2. Amalgamated Copper yielded to 3 5-8.

Bonds were about steady.

1 p. m.—Prices of the iron and steel stocks reached a considerably lower level on heavy liquidation after midday. Blocks of from 200 to 300 shares of steel common were unloaded, driving it down to 14⅞, or on a parity with its low points established last month. The preferred stock suffered a loss of 2⅝ and bonds 2 points. Smelting fell 2 and Tennessee Coal 2 points. Amalgamated held above 38, but other stocks weakened and declines of a point or over were numerous. The market was better in tone at 1 p. m. in sympathy with a rally in Amalgamated of 1 point.

2 p. m.—Aside from the effectual support for Amalgamated around 37, the tendency of the market was downward. Feeble rallies were not long maintained, but in only a few cases did prices go any lower. General Electric and Westinghouse Electric dropped 3 and Hocking Valley 2.

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½ lb. "Golden Rose" Oolong Tea	.37	.18
1 lb. "Golden Rose" Mocha and Java Coffee	.40	.20
1 5-lb. bag Table Sale	.10	.05
2 lbs. Best Pearl Tapioca	.15	.09
¼ lb. can Potted Ham	.10	.05
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Jello, the new dessert, per pkg. 8c
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4 lb. Jar White Castile Soap 32c
1 lb. pkg. Pure Cream of Tartar Baking Powder 29c

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ON THE SOCIAL EVIL

Shocking Conditions Admittedly Prevail in Cincinnati

Address of Mayor Fleischman Before Convention of American Municipalities at Baltimore

By Associated Press to The Sun

BALTIMORE, Oct. 8—The convention of the League of American Municipalities resumed its session this morning. Among the addresses delivered were "Municipal Restriction of the Social Evil" by Mayor Julius Fleischman of Cincinnati; "Organized Labor and the Municipality" by Mayor Ignatius A. Bulivar, of Hartford, Conn., and "Municipal Statistics" by Hugo S. Grosser, municipal statistician of Chicago.

MAYOR FLEISCHMAN'S ADDRESS.

"In consenting to prepare a paper treating of the social evil I am fully aware that I have consented to a very difficult task, for the more the question is considered the greater are the difficulties we meet. Nevertheless, the question must be met.

"What is the right policy to be adopted?

"Wise restraint and regulation must be combined with humanity to the fallen woman.

"It is not my intention in this paper to discuss the correctness of the policy adopted by the municipality of Cincinnati but rather to narrate what we have done and the results following on our work so far as we have gone.

"The work is of such a character that it must be done quietly, so as to not unnecessarily offend that class of our people who do not sympathize with us in what we are trying to accomplish

"The state of public opinion is also to be considered. The insistence of one element is that regulation of the social evil is in fact, licensing and legalizing crime, and of another element that the evil is an existent fact to be regulated, but an evil beyond eradication under existing conditions of human nature.

"Several months after my induction into office, in 1900, the health officer reported to me that under the preceding administration certificates of health had been required of inmates of houses of prostitution, but that it had been a custom of some physicians to leave certificates, signed in blank, with the mistress of the house to be filled out as occasion might demand, or, rather, as the exigencies of the mistress might require.

"This examination, so-called, was a department playing no part whatever in it.

"The regulation was at once discontinued, and on Oct. 1, 1900, the first regular inspection of the health department began, the regular district physicians being assigned to the work of examination of prostitutes and of issuing to them certificates of inspection. As to results, the first week's inspection sent sixty women to the hospital, forty of the number having regulation of the police, the health syphilis in a contagious form. Yet all of them had certificates signed by practicing physicians, stating that they were free from disease. Manifestly, the preceding regulations were radically defective.

"Under the new plan a woman found diseased was immediately sent to the hospital and kept in that institution until discharged as free from disease in a contagious form.

"The number of women examined in houses of prostitution is, at this time, approximately four hundred and forty. In addition to that number there are some sixty women living in private apartments who submit to the examination conducted by the health department, making a total of five hundred examinations per week.

"The adoption of the present system brought out the first manifestation of outside opposition to the plan. A suit was brought by a taxpayer of the city, the ostensible object, of which was to test the right of the health department to make the examinations. The real object, manifestly, was to bring about a return to the old methods under which disreputable physicians had profited by the sale of blank certificates under the operation of which diseases continued to be spread and the intent of the regulation defied.

"The outcome of this suit was a clean-cut victory for the city, embracing, therefore, the undoubted right of the health department to adopt and to enforce reasonable rules and regulations, if not for the restriction of the social evil, for the restriction of the means of spreading disease.

"The fundamental idea of this decision was that the regulations complained of by the plaintiff affected a class of persons whose commerce was vicious in itself and that such commerce was a public nuisance and might be suppressed or abated as such.

"Under the legal definition of the rights of the city it may be said that the policy of the city of Cincinnati is not restriction nor licensing of the social evil, but restriction of the spread of disease in the first instance, with the restriction of the evil as a possible incident to the adopted regulations.

"It is to be admitted that the question of the issuance of certificates is serious and open to argument, but it is denied that the issuance of a certificate is, in any degree, 'compromise with crime.'

"In the work done the police department is the controlling influence, and without it the health department would be powerless. The police department looks to the mistress of the house of prostitution for the performance of her allotted share of the work. If these regulations are followed strictly and in good health, the mistress of the house is not molested by the police unless there is some open breach of the peace, and therein lies her safety, and, as a consequence, her protection. These houses are quietly conducted and as a rule confined to certain restricted boundaries. Music is allowed in houses of prostitution, but it must be stopped before midnight.

"If closing up the houses, by the stopping of music or of drinking, would result in the total suppression of the social evil, there would be overwhelming force in the argument.

"It is conclusive, in the light of all history of attempts to deal with the social evil, that its suppression is an impossibility. Therefore its regulation is the problem with which the people of today are confronted, and which the municipal authorities of Cincinnati are endeavoring to solve."

TO BEAT ROOSEVELT

THE ONLY CONCERN IN THE SOUTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BALTIMORE, Oct. 8.—When Mayor Smyth of Charleston, S. C., who is a delegate to the League of American Municipalities, was asked today if the South had any preference for the presidential nomination, he said:

"I would like very much to have the pleasure of voting again for Mr Cleveland. The people of the South have no decided preference for any candidate, so far as I am able to ascertain."

"How does Mr. Gorman stand in the South?" was asked.

"Mr. Gorman has no personal acquaintance with our people, and you know the personality of a man means a great deal with us. It is the same with Judge Gray of Delaware. The South has no candidate. It is anybody to beat Roosevelt, who is most cordially disliked on account of his attitude on the race question. Formerly he was popular with us. When he was in Charleston during the exposition he insulted me, in the presence of two other gentlemen, that no colored man would be appointed to office in our state. He had hardly returned to Washington before he did the very thing he promised he would not do."

TILLMAN'S FEAR

Led Him to Secure a Pistol

TROUBLE WITH EDITOR GONZALES WAS EXPECTED

Col. Blease Testified at Tillman Trial

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, S. C., Oct. 8.—James Davis of Edgefield was on the stand when the trial of J. H. Tillman was resumed today. He said he did not hear the defendant make any threats in the presence of L. D. Black while riding on a train from Johnston to Columbia. On cross-examination he said he did not know Black.

Col. L. T. Blease was asked to state what was said in the defendant's room at the hotel in Columbia at the time Dr. Adams was present. He said he was reading editorials from the State, either on the night of August 20 or 21 of last year. He said Dr. Adams advised the defendant to go down to the State and whip Gonzales, and that Mr. Tillman replied that would not do as he was lieutenant governor and would be impeached. Asked as to the statement made on the stand by Dr. Adams, the witness said that Mr. Tillman said, "You boys need not worry, if he attacks me I'll snuff his life out with this."

Continuing the witness said that Tillman's response to something Gonzales was stated to have said about mock theatricals was that if he attempted to carry out one of his threats I'd make it the d— tragedy that ever occurred in South Carolina."

The witness said the remarks were made by the defendant in response to statements as to threats made to him. Asked as to whether he knew of the relations between Gonzales and the defendant, he said he heard Gonzales say he did not want to be in the same room with Tillman. He said he had heard Tillman say on several occasions that he wanted no difficulty with Gonzales. Mr. Tillman secured a pistol on the night of the campaign meeting in Columbia, the witness said, because trouble at the Opera house was anticipated, and witness further said it was expected that Tillman was to be attacked by Gonzales.

J. A. Mahaffey, a member of the state legislature at the last session, said he saw a bottle neck stick out of the defendant's pocket at the State House as the defendant was about to leave there on the day before the shooting.

J. A. White and Richard Holsenbuch testified that Gonzales told the former in the presence of the latter that he had made Tillman show the white feather and would do so again. The latter witness gave his version of the shooting.

THE DAHLGREN DOCKED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The torpedo boat Dahlgren has been docked at Greenport, L. I., to repair damages made by the submarine torpedo boat Shark yesterday. The navy department received a telegram stating that the Dahlgren was leaking too badly to proceed to any other port, but that the vessel's pumps were controlling the water.

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GROUT'S REPLY

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HINRICHS ACCEPTS THE FUSION NOMINATION

Lynn Bruce is Also Willing

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Comptroller Grout issued a long statement today, in reply to the actions of the conventions last night. In his statement he charges the citizens' union with being under Senator Platt's rule and says he will fight his being taken off the ticket to the end. He ends his statement by saying:

"And, finally, I shall appeal to all fair-minded people to say whether a man whom they have known to be honest, shall be destroyed by the species of lynch-law and mob rule which has prevailed the fortnight past."

In part Mr. Grout says:

"All parties, all newspapers agreed that I have been an honest and efficient comptroller. I shall stand for reelection on that record, which all have approved. Before I went away on my vacation, I made known to some fusion managers, the very details of my private business affairs which made me unwilling to continue in office. Nevertheless, my renomination was forced by them in my absence. I accepted at Mr. Low's personal request, and in spite of every other inducement and argument. Then I was offered an endorsement by the democratic party. I did not seek it. I did not bargain, deal or dicker for it. I was not bought, sold, or gagged. I made no concealment of my belief that, if taken solely by the fusionists, such endorsement would help Mr. Low. And I am abused, outraged, expelled. Why? Because I say that the campaign should be fought by argument, by proofs, by appeals to reason, not by denunciation, bitter words and appeals to passion. I shall ask every tax-payer where bill is reduced this year, to remember that it would not have been less if I had not been comptroller.

"As a democrat, I shall ask the democrats of this city to notice how this situation has been made at the direction of Platt and his crowd and to say whether this city shall thus be turned over to Platt. I believe that municipal business should be managed on its merits. I have so conducted it and will so continue if reelected. The position of the republican machinists and of Mr. Cutting has become the acme of partisanship."

Frederick W. Hinrichs, who was nominated last night by the fusionists, for comptroller, said today that he would accept the nomination.

M. Lynn Bruce, chairman of the county republican committee, issued a statement today, in which he said that now the fusion ticket is complete, the campaign will run only on the line of "the continuance of good city government."

Mr. Bruce said: "The anti-Tammany ticket is now complete. The mistakes have been eliminated and all friends and supporters of clean, honest, and high-class city government are now united and aggressive in the fight to prevent a return to power of the combination for personal gain known as Tammany Hall.

"We shall fight this campaign on the only issue before the people, the continuance of good city government. Tammany is the common enemy, and against Tammany we shall fight to the end. The anti-Tammany forces enter the campaign confident of victory."

GRIPMAN'S BRIDE

IS REPUTED TO BE WORTH $700,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8.—Miss Harriet Floyd, heiress to a $700,000 estate, was married yesterday at Lakeport to B. M. Gopchevitch, recently a gripman on a street car railroad, but who says he is a Servian nobleman connected with the royal house of Obrenevitch. The marriage was a great surprise to all of Miss Floyd's friends.

Gopchevitch came here several years ago with letters to Capt. Richard Floyd, a retired officer of the United States navy, and Floyd helped the young Servian to get employment. He had no social relations with the Floyds, but recently met Miss Floyd on his car. He is a dark, handsome man, and he captivated the heiress with his beauty and his romantic tales of noble birth. She didn't even tell the friends she lived with of her proposed marriage.

Her estate is in the hands of trustees, who pay her two-thirds of the income, reserving the other third for repairs and expenses.

SHARP DECLINE

IN THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE SHARES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 8 A sharp decline in American Telephone shares on large transactions was a feature of trading on the Boston stock exchange today. On sales of 70 shares the stock at the opening broke six points to 119, rallied to 117¾, around it o'clock and held steady around that figure during the second hour. At 12.30 o'clock the stock rose to 118. The flurry was due to the adverse decision in the litigation with the Western Union Telegraph company, in which $80,000,000 or more is said to be involved.

WARRANT ISSUED

FOR THE ARREST OF GEORGE E. GREEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The criminal court today issued a bench warrant for the arrest of George E. Green, state senator of New York, recently indicted in connection with postal contracts.

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Again Elected National Head of Mule Spinners

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 8.—With the expectation of clearing up their business before night, the delegates to the National Mule Spinners' convention resumed their labors at 9 o'clock today with President Duggan of Lowell in the chair. The principal business remaining was the election of officers. The convention went into executive session on being called to order.

Resolutions were adopted, condemning Governor Bates for his veto of the eight-hour bill for city employes, his action being characterized as uncalled for and unwarranted. The resolutions also favored the enactment of a law to prevent the employment of women and minors in factories and workshops between the hours of 6 p. m. and 6 a. m., and condemning the action of the senators and representatives who voted against the bill referred to in the last session of the Massachusetts legislature.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Michael Duggan, Lowell.

Vice-president, Martin White, Dover, N. H.

Secretary, Samuel Ross, New Bedford.

Treasurer, Frank Mullocky, Pawtucket, R. I.

Executive board: Thomas O'Donnell, Fall River; James Cliffe, Pawtucket, R. I.; John Holloway, New Bedford; Carl Scherberg, Manchester, N. H.; Patrick McInerney, Adams; Job H. Barker, Taunton; Urban Flealing, Holyoke; James McCann, Lowell; Patrick Daly, Lawrence.

Delegates to the United Textile Workers of America convention in Philadelphia, October 26: Michael Duggan, Lowell; John Golding, Fall River; James Cliffe, Pawtucket.

Delegate to the National convention of the American Federation of Labor: Samuel Ross, New Bedford.

The convention adjourned to meet in Boston the first Tuesday in April.

VERY MUCH ALIVE

Doctor Was Mourned as Dead

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—A special says: Silence reigned over the little group of Dartmouth men assembled last night to partake of their annual dinner in the rooms of the Drug Trade Club, No. 100 William street. The dinner waited and became cold. Everyone had read in the papers this short notice:

BEAUDOIN-BENNETT — Suddenly, Oct. 5, Mortimer Roland Beaudoin-Bennett. Funeral and interment private.

With bowed heads and in low tones the men were recalling many instances in the life of their friend who had passed away.

Suddenly the door burst open and Dr. Mortimer Roland Beaudoin-Bennett appeared before the diners and in a cheery voice called out: "Hello, boys; am I late?"

"We thought you were dead!" they exclaimed.

"Hardly," replied the doctor.

Then all gathered around the banquet table and the feast proceeded amid joking and laughter.

"I think," said Dr. Bennett, explaining the circumstances, "that one of my acquaintances has done this thing in order to furnish a sensational feature to our gathering. It was, perhaps, meant to be only a course of fun, but as it has caused my mother much alarm, it has ceased to be funny."

The doctor lives with his mother at No. 1433 Lexington avenue, and has been out of the city for the past few days. Yesterday when Mrs. Bennett read of her son's death, she was greatly shocked. Many flowers and telegrams of condolence were received at the residence.

Dr. Bennett married Miss Jeanne Martin about six years ago, but during the last two years they have lived apart, she living with her parents in Hewletts, L. I. Hearing the news of her husband's death, she was much grieved, but her fears were put to rest by a telegram from Dr. Bennett.

BRITISH IRON TRADE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 8. Hugh L. Bell, managing director of the iron manufacturing firm of Bell brothers, of Middlesborough, speaking of the future of the British iron trade in competition with American combines, said that so far as his practical experience went, Mr. Chamberlain had not a single item of information to justify the opinion that he had formed. Mr. Bell added that similar forecasts of the ruin of the iron trade had been current for three centuries.

SPOT COTTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands 9.65; middling gulf 9.85, sales 1200 bales.

THE SPOOK SUIT

Settled by Payment of $10,000

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—The payment of about $10,000 yesterday by Davis & Brown, lawyers for the heirs of Alicia Vanderbilt Le Bau, a daughter of the late Commodore Vanderbilt, to Arthur P. Dodge, the inventor, marked the close of the famous suit which he instituted against her three years ago to collect $20,000 claimed as a balance on stock she had purchased in his "Kinetic motor."

The suit when filed attracted much attention owing to the prominence of the defendant, and to the answers she submitted to Dodge's charges. Mrs. Le Bau, believer in spiritualism and a medium, declared that she had been duped into buying the stock by a medium, Jeanette Danforth, who lived with her, and who frequently interpreted communications from the "land of spooks" to her.

Mrs. Le Bau declared that Mrs. Danforth had been bribed by Dodge to induce her to subscribe for stock in his invention. She finally did sign a contract whereby she was to become a partner in the concern and won an interest in all of the foreign patents upon payment of $100,000. Eighty thousand of this she paid, and then stating that she had become suspicious of her spiritualistic adviser, refused to pay the balance.

After stormy interviews Dodge brought suit. The case was postponed until this fall, then the compromise was decided upon.

At his home, No 761 West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, Mr. Dodge said:

"I am glad this affair is settled. I have been injured by the spooky stories circulated and by the insinuations that I was a spiritualist and had duped Mrs. Le Bau. These charges were made while I was in Egypt and Syria, and I had no opportunity to answer them. Poor Mrs. Le Bau is dead, and I dislike to make any statement that would cast discredit upon her. She was the old commodore's daughter, and right well did she represent her father. Shrewd and keen in business, she had the same indomitable will that characterized the founder of the Vanderbilt dynasty.

"She bought this stock in the motor company years before I ever met her or Mrs Danforth. I invested all of my funds, with the understanding that she would take up her stock as the company needed the money. This she refused to do when we became pressed for funds. I am and have been for years a sincere and earnest believer in the great and true cause of God, known as bahaism. Mrs. Le Bau never sued me for $80,000, nor did she ever lend me one cent."

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 8 Exchanges, $19,725,197; Balances, $1,799,711.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

NEARLY KILLED

Dr. and Mrs. Otis Allen Had Narrow Escape

Dr. Otis Allen the well-known dentist, and wife, had a narrow escape from being killed as the result of being thrown from their automobile in Billerica last night, after the machine had collided with three posts which had been left in the roadway. Both occupants of the machine were badly injured. Dr. Allen, though suffering considerably from bruises sustained, is able to be around today, but his wife is suffering considerable pain, and her nervous system has been shattered.

Last night about half past six Dr. and Mrs Allen were returning from a trip in their automobile, which is propelled by electricity. The highway from the pump at Billerica Centre coming towards this city has recently been macadamized and makes a fine stretch of road, though there is a considerable down grade.

When this road was reached Dr. Allen shut off the power and allowed the momentum of the machine to carry it down the hill. It was rather dark there being no lights in the vicinity and when almost opposite ex-Senator Joshua Hollen's house Dr. Allen noticed a wagon in the middle of the road. In order to pass it he steered his machine between the wagon and the car track.

All of a sudden the machine crashed against some object in the road and came to a sudden stop. Mrs. Allen was thrown out on the highway, while Dr. Allen became wedged between the steering wheel and the seat of the machine and was thrown under the machine when it turned over.

When the occupants of the machine felt the shock they both shouted and the men who were in the wagon immediately rushed to their assistance. Mrs. Allen was picked up and carried into Mr. Holden's house, and one of the men helped extricate the doctor from the wreck. The fact that the doctor had become wedged between the seat and the steering gear is probably the only thing that saved his life for when the machine turned over the full weight did not come on him.

Mrs. Allen was attended by a trained nurse who was at the Holden residence and later brought to her home in this city.

She was badly bruised about the lower limbs and side, a large hat which she was wearing at the time saving her face from being cut and bruised, for when she was thrown out of the machine the hat went down over her face. She suffered intense pain from the injuries received, though at the present time she is resting comfortably. The doctor sustained a number of scratches and bruises about the body, but was more fortunate than Mrs. Allen and outside of feeling a little stiffness in his limbs he is practically unhurt.

The machine which is practically a total wreck was dragged into Mr. Holden's driveway and left there until this morning when it was removed to a carriage shop in this city, but it will be impossible to repair the damage done.

An investigation by Dr. Allen this morning showed that there were three posts protruding from the roadway to a height of about two or three feet and the accident was caused by the machine coming in contact with them. It seems that the road was narrower before the double track was laid and that these posts supported a bar which was along the side of the old road where there was a culvert.

When the double track was laid the road was widened considerably and though the bar which was supported on the posts was removed the parties doing the work of repairing the road failed to remove the posts and left them protruding from the road, which made the road dangerous for travel.

WELLS P. KELLEY

Did Not Attempt to Enter House

Wells P. Kelley, who was shot at Camden, Me., Tuesday night, is still in the hospital there and is in a serious condition.

The doctors do not hold out very great hope for his recovery. His father, who is a grocer in this city, arrived home from Camden this morning and told a Sun reporter that the charge that his son was shot while attempting to enter the house of Mr. Packard is false.

He says that the officers found no evidence that Wells Kelley tried to gain an entrance into the house. Mr. Packard has been placed under arrest and is now out on bonds pending a hearing which will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

ANDOVER STREET

TEWKSBURY OFFICIALS HAVE NEGLECTED THE THOROUGHFARE.

The superintendent of streets of Tewksbury has given no attention yet to that portion of Andover street that lies in that town. Several of the property owners have placed that part of the street which their property fronts in excellent condition. L. T. Trull, Esq., M. F. Godkin and Patrick Kelley have given attention to the matter and if the town authorities would show the same spirit Andover street would be kept in a presentable condition.

The many friends of Mr. Thomas F. Fitzgerald, who for some time has been confined to his home on Middlesex street with illness, will be glad to hear that he has fully recovered.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8 Noon—Money on call easy at 2 1-2 per cent.; prime mercantile paper 6 a 6 1-2 per cent.

Exchanges $170,966,308.

Balances $8,493,585.

ROBERT CONROY

Elected Vice President of A. F. of L.

THE CONTEST WAS A SPIRITED ONE

The Convention Work Is Completed

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 8—The delegates to the convention of the state branch, American Federation of Labor, found considerable business to dispose of when they assembled for the last day's session this forenoon. A large number of resolutions awaited action and it was expected the proceedings would extend well into the afternoon if the discussion continued without a limit.

Owing to the failure of the convention to elect fourth and fifth vice presidents yesterday it was arranged to take another ballot today. The vote yesterday was so close that no choice could be made.

Robert Conroy of Lowell was chosen fourth vice president and Henry G. Sterling of Boston fifth vice president.

After extending votes of thanks to the officers of the convention the local branch and the press, the convention adjourned sine die.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—Cotton: Futures opened firm. Oct. 9.17; Nov. 9.21; Dec. 9.28; Feb. 9.31 bid; March 9.34; April 9.34 bid; May 9.35; June 9.37 bid; July 9.40.

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Kennedy's Wine Crackers, 8c lb.
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THE FUSIONISTS

Have Dropped Grout and Fornes From Ticket

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—So far as deliberate and emphatic repudiation can make it so, Edward M. Grout and Charles V. Fornes are on the Tammany ticket only. The "Cits" and the republicans in their city conventions threw them off theirs last night and named in their places Frederick W. Hinrichs of Brooklyn for comptroller, and Edward J. McGuire of Manhattan for president of the board of aldermen. There was a flurry in each convention. In that of the "Cits" another attempt was made to cause a stampede for Henry George. This time his friends desired to make him a candidate for president of the board of aldermen. R. Fulton Cutting had the convention well in hand and the candidates which had been agreed on were selected. In the republican convention, the work of getting rid of Grout and Fornes was prosecuted with great impressiveness.

The war between Tammany hall and the Brooklyn democracy went on with deadly intensity. John L. Shea, for Mr. McLaughlin, sent a letter to Tammany serving notice that Brooklyn would decline to participate in the notification of McClellan. Grout and Fornes on Saturday, if they were to be jointly notified. Brooklyn would only consent to attend a separate nomination of McClellan. The breach was widened in a startling way in the eastern district at night. The Seymour Democratic club, which is the home of P. H. McCarren's district organization, held a meeting and indorsed the entire Tammany ticket.

While the meeting was in progress, Martin W. Littleton, Brooklyn's orator in the city convention, and the Democratic candidate for president of the borough on Mr. McLaughlin's ticket, entered the hall, made a bitter attack on Grout and Fornes, lashed Tammany Hall, called on all democrats to knife the undemocratic nominees of Charles F. Murphy, and administered a rebuke to McCarren's followers for wanting to surrender the allegiance which they owe to the regular democracy.

The fight has gone too far to be stopped. Tammany must elect its ticket without the assistance of the Brooklyn democrats. So bitter is the feeling against Murphy that the McLaughlinites are willing even to swallow Mr. Hinrichs for comptroller rather than Grout.

William S. Devery completed his ticket last night and put forth his platform. The platform is drawn so as to catch the labor vote, and Mr. Devery's movement has become a menace to Tammany. For sheriff Devery will run Thomas Rock, president of district assembly 49, Knights of Labor, and for president of the board of aldermen J. W. Johnson, treasurer of Sam Parks' union.

The betting is now 10 to 9 on McClellan and even on Grout and Fornes.

Announcement was made at the Democratic club last night that John F. Ahearn, Tammany leader of the fourth assembly district, would be nominated for president of the borough of Manhattan at the borough convention this evening.

Civil Justice Herman Joseph was on Charles F. Murphy's slate last night for the nomination for sheriff, but it was not altogether certain that it would remain after the meeting of the Tammany executive committee today. Still it was said the chances favored Judge Joseph's nomination.

It is now said that the fight to protect Comptroller Grout, whom the Fusionists seek to depose as their candidate, will not be made in the courts, but in the board of elections. It is pointed out that the board of elections being bi-partisan and equally divided, can be deadlocked. This new line of defense for Grout, according to the story current in political circles, simply involves remaining inactive until the representatives of the republican party offer the certificates of nomination for filing and then deadlocking the board on the question of filing them.

An afternoon paper says that Robert B. Roosevelt, uncle of the president, is to be tendered the democratic nomination for president of the borough of Manhattan. John Fox, former president of the democratic club has been asked, according to the statement of the paper to call upon Mr. Roosevelt in behalf of Tammany and tender him the place. Robert B. Roosevelt is a democrat.

BIG CARPET MILL

At Stoneville Taken by the Hogg Company

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 8.—The Hogg Carpet & Manufacturing company, a Maine corporation capitalized for $1,500,000, is to take up, in the course of a few weeks, an option it now holds upon all the mill property and good will of the present Hogg Manufacturing company (William James Hogg & company) at Stoneville.

This is the corporation that secured last week for $75,000 the plant and business of the Hogg Carpet company, of which William F. Hogg, a son of William J. Hogg, was president. The new corporation, however, is composed of entirely new capital and is owned by a syndicate of New York men. It was deemed advisable to retain the old name.

The acquisition by the Hogg Carpet & Manufacturing company is but the first step in the company's plan for securing the entire Hogg interests at Stoneville, where it proposes to build up a business of at least three times the present capacity of the carpet mills.

10,000 MEN SENTENCED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 8.—A military journal says that 10,000 young men, eligible for military service, who have not reported for enlistment this year, have been sentenced in contumacy. It is presumed they are out of the country. This number is more than twice as many as usual. The military paper does not give any reasons for this extraordinary desertion, but it is probably due to the frequent publication of incidents of the brutality of non-commissioned officers and other privates in the army.

CHIEF JUSTICE FULLER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Among the passengers who arrived today on the steamer Majestic from Liverpool was Chief Justice Melville W. Fuller, of the United States supreme court.

INVITATION GOLF.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.—The invitation golf tournament in progress on the links of the Merion cricket club at Haverford has reached the second round of match play. Owing to the drawing it will be impossible for Mrs. C. T. Strout and Miss Rhona Adair to meet before Saturday, but in the event of their meeting, which now looks probable, each will have to defeat some excellent players. The most interesting contest scheduled for today was between Miss Margaret Curtis of Essex county and Miss Adair. The former is probably the best player in the country at the long game. Mrs. Charles T. Strout was first to start. She played with Miss Harley, the Fall River representative.

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ELLSWORTH HOME

Presented to the D. A. R. at Hartford

By Associated Press to The Sun

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 8.—The Ellsworth homestead in Windsor, was formally presented to the Daughters of the American Revolution by the descendants of Oliver Ellsworth, third chief justice of the United States.

Prominent people from all parts of the state were in attendance and the occasion was made a notable one.

Mrs. Sara T. Kinney, state regent of the Connecticut D. A. R., presided at the exercises.

After an invocation by Bishop Chauncey B. Brewster, an address of greeting was made by Gov. Chamberlain, who reviewed the achievements of Oliver Ellsworth and praised the work of the D. A. R., in honoring his memory.

Letters of regret from President Roosevelt, Chief Justice Fuller of the United States Supreme Court; Senator George F. Hoar, President Hadley of Yale university; Chief Justice Davis Torrance, of the Connecticut Supreme court, and Associate Justice Simeon E. Baldwin of the last named court were read.

Increased interest was added to the day's exercises by the fact that every living descendant of Oliver Ellsworth had united in making the transfer of the property to the D. A. R.

The place is valued at about $5,000 and has been restored by the Daughters, who have fitted it with rare old furniture and made it beautiful in every way.

William W. Ellsworth of New York, made the formal presentation to which Mrs. Kinney responded.

BRITISH FLAG TATTERED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—A British flag that had been cut into ribbons was found hanging about the base of the statue of Nathan Hale in City Hall Park today. Attached to it was a card bearing the inscription:

"Lest we forget. S. A. R."

Police Captain O'Brien ordered the flag removed and began an inquiry for the person who placed it there.

THE QUESTION BOX.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DOVER, N. H., Oct. 8.—The election of officers and delegates to the national convention and the reading of more reports of officers took up a large part of the time at today's sessions of the state convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in this city. Miss C. F. Thompson of Epping gave an account of the work of the Young Women's branch during the year, while Mrs. Sarah D. Libby of Warner reported as secretary of the Loyal Temperance Legion. There was a question box and an hour was spent in listening to reports by county presidents. Miss M. E. Partridge, chairman of the committee on resolutions, then reported for that committee.

MESSAGES OF SYMPATHY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 8.—Hundreds of telegrams of condolence have been received by Mrs. Bissell, widow of the late Postmaster-General Wilson S. Bissell. Among them are dispatches from President Roosevelt, Secretary Cortelyou, Grover Cleveland, D. S. Lamont, Hilary A. Herbert, John G. Carlisle, Arthur A. Hadley, John D. Rockefeller and Don M. Dickinson.

GIFT OF EMPRESS

A Gold Tea and Coffee Service

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 8.—Lieut.-Colonel Sir John Burgerine (retired), formerly of the Grenadier Guards, who brought the former Empress Eugenie on his yacht, in the face of a terrific storm, from Deauville, France (to which place she had been conveyed in a carriage belonging to the late Dr. Thomas W. Evans, the American dentist of Paris) was married at St. George's church, Hanover square, today, to Kate, daughter of John Gretton, member of parliament for South Derbyshire. The empress sent the couple a regal wedding gift, consisting of a gold tea and coffee service.

Ex-Empress Eugenie immediately after the revolution in Paris, September 4, 1870, hurriedly left the Tuileries and escaped from France. She landed at Ryde, Isle of Wight, September 9, 1870, and shortly afterwards joined the late Prince Imperial at Hastings, England. Camden House, Chislehurst, was subsequently selected as a residence by the imperial exiles. The emperor, Napoleon III, died there January 9, 1873, and in 1879 the prince imperial, who had accompanied the British army in the Zulu war, was killed. His body was brought to England and buried at Chislehurst.

HART ELECTED

IS A DIRECTOR IN SHIP-BUILDING COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—At the annual meeting in Jersey City of the American Ship-building company, Frank W. Hart was elected a director to succeed W. T. C. Carpenter. Other directors were re-elected. Officers also were re-elected with the exception of R. L. Ireland, vice-president, who was succeeded by James C. Wallace. Robert Logan was elected assistant general manager.

The annual report submitted by President W. L. Brown shows for the year ended June 30 a decrease in net earnings of $29,710. Added to this the company paid out the sum of $228,000 in the shape of a dividend to common stockholders this year, which it was decided did not appear in the previous annual report. But $418,527 was charged to depreciation and maintenance and $372,559 to the rebuilding of dry dock and repairs. The surplus for the year shows a decrease of $315,502, but the total surplus has been increased to $3,507,500 by the amount remaining for the year.

DICKINSON'S SPEECH

STRONG ARGUMENT RELATIVE TO BOUNDARIES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 8.—The last day of the public hearing of the arguments before the Alaskan Boundary commission opened with practically no spectators present. Jacob M. Dickinson of American counsel, continued his speech for America's "unbroken claim or title" to the disputed coast. Mr. Dickinson made a forcible plea that all the evidence established the fact that the boundary should be drawn around the heads of the bays and inlets.

When Mr. Donaldson has concluded this afternoon the commission will adjourn until Monday, when it will hold its first private session to consider its verdict.

GOVERNOR BATES

WAS GUEST AT THE AGRICULTURAL FAIR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Oct. 8.—After an inspection of public institutions in this city, Gov. Bates and party, including Lieut.-Gov. Guild and Mrs. Bates and Mrs. Guild, together with the members of the executive council and their wives, were guests at the Three County Agricultural fair, this afternoon. The governor was escorted to the fair grounds by Co. A of the Second U. S. cavalry, from Fort Ethan Allen, which appears in drills at the fair and was received by the officers of the society. The great throng of spectators welcomed the chief executive and listened to a brief address by him. Lieut.-Gov. Guild also spoke briefly.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Oct. 8.—Before the convention of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. of Massachusetts and Rhode Island closed today, Cambridge, Mass., was selected as the meeting place of the society next year.

The following executive committee was announced: Mrs. O. H. Durrell, Cambridge; Mrs. G. A. Brown, Everett; Mrs. E. L. Green, Lancaster; Mrs. W. F. Andrews, Springfield; Mrs. O. L. Bartlett, Pittsfield; Mrs. A. M. Pickford, Lynn; Mrs. A. C. Howland, New Bedford; Mrs. C. P. Faunce, Salem; Mrs. G. H. Fowler, Pawtucket, R. I. Before the delegates separated they visited the places of interest around North Adams.

CONTROLLING INTEREST SOLD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Maine, Oct. 8.—Controlling interest in the barkentine Jesse MacGregor has been sold by J. S. Winslow & Co. of this city to Captain Theodore G. Crunn, owner and commander of the bark Lillian. The terms were private. The MacGregor will sail in a few days to a southern port for lumber. She will be used in the southern lumber carrying and West India trade.

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SOLD SUPPLIES

Officers Made Good Job of It

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANILA, Oct. 8—1.15 p. m.—It is now learned that George Herman and C. J. Johnson, the constabulary officers stationed at Misamis, Mindanao, now fugitives from justice, not only took $600 in cash from the safe, but also turned most of the supplies into cash before their dramatic exit on the vessel they appropriated. They took the steamer Victoria of 55 tons register, and got sufficient coal from the steamer Victoria by threatening the captain at the point of a revolver, to carry them to Balangao, a town on the north shore of the island. There they procured food and water before putting to sea again. They should have reached Sandagan, Borneo, today. A cable was sent to the governor of Borneo advising him of their departure and he at once dispatched the coast guard steamer Banger to look out for them.

Herman, who was recently promoted to a captaincy, was formerly a non-commissioned officer in the Ninth infantry. He comes from Philadelphia.

Johnson, a lieutenant, was formerly a non-commissioned officer in the 17th infantry. He is a native of Moosic, Pa.

SHANGHAIED BOY

Taken in Charge by the Customs Inspector

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8. Moses Smallwood, a colored boy from Georgia, who claims to have been shanghaied on board the Russian bark Alice in Savannah last July, arrived on the Majestic today. A customs inspector was detailed to meet the ship down the bay and take Smallwood before the United States district attorney here, who will see that he is sent back to Savannah to testify against the two boarding house keepers whom he charges with shanghaiing him.

SITUATION IN COREA

DOES NOT CAUSE ANY UNEASINESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 8.—The Japanese minister here, Baron Hayashi, today described the announcement made by London Daily Mail's correspondent at Kobe, Japan, that Baron DeRosen, the Russian minister to Japan, had presented a note to the Japanese government contending that Japan had no right to interfere in the question of the evacuation of Manchuria and proposing the partition of Corea between Russia and Japan, as being "fantastical and unworthy of consideration."

The news from Kobe, the minister says, is about as unreliable as news at Shanghai. He reiterated that there was nothing in the situation in Corea to occasion uneasiness.

"I have not heard and I do not believe," added the Japanese minister, "that Russia has intimated her refusal to evacuate Manchuria and that she has refused to allow Japan to interfere with her occupation. I see nothing in the situation at the present moment that supports the reports of a warlike attitude on the part of either Russia or Japan."

TALE OF MURDER

SALOON STEWARD ASSAULTED THE SECOND STEWARD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The police of the Fulton street station, Brooklyn, are interested in the story of an alleged murder on board the Brazilian steamship Tennyson on her last voyage to this port. Herbert Montell, the saloon steward, who is a prisoner in Raymond street jail awaiting trial for a felonious assault on Charles Eldred, the second steward, is their authority for the murder story.

Montell has told the police that on the last trip from Brazil one of the firemen was murdered. There was a row one night, he said, in the firemen's room and one of the firemen, who was struck in the face with a shovelful of live coals, ran up the ladder to get on deck and complain to the captain. While he was still on the ladder some one struck him twice on the head with an iron bar, killing him almost instantly. A few hours later the body was thrown overboard.

Montell says that he got the information from one of the officers of the ship. The steamer is now at sea, having sailed on Monday soon after Montell's arrest.

ROBBED BOXES

TWO YOUNG MEN HELD FOR SUPREME COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BANGOR, Me., Oct. 8. William DeWitt, alias William DeCosta (colored) of Troy, N. Y., and Charles Redmond, aged 16, of Stockton Springs, Me., who were arrested by the police last night charged with rifling the offering boxes in St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, were before the police court today and pleaded nolo contendere to the charge. DeCosta was held in $800 and Redmond in $500 for their appearance at the February term of the supreme court. They were unable to furnish bail and were committed to jail.

According to the confession of Redmond they have been rifling the offering boxes in many Catholic churches in this state during the past two weeks.

BARNES INDICTED

FOR THE MURDER OF ASAHEL W. DUNTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KEENE, N. H., Oct. 8.—An indictment which charges murder in the first degree was reported here today against Mulachi Barnes, who, it is alleged, caused the death of Asahel W. Dunton at East Sullivan on Sept. 19. The bill was one of many returned by the Cheshire county grand jury. It is probable that Barnes will be tried at a special session of the court in December or January.

Dunton lived with Mulachi Barnes and Mrs. Barnes at East Sullivan. On the night of the assault Mrs. Barnes and Dunton were in the sitting room when the assailant suddenly entered, knocking down Mrs. Barnes and fracturing Dunton's skull by striking him with an iron instrument. The latter's death occurred within a few days. Subsequently Barnes was arrested, charged with the murder.

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Professor Munyon:
Dear Sir—I have been taking Paw-Paw for some time as a strengthening tonic and it has proven itself a most wonderful medicine. I eat well and can truthfully state that the food I eat digests perfectly. After taking Paw-Paw, I feel braced up and I recommend this wonderful remedy to all brain workers who are in need of a superior tonic.
(Signed) E. P. WOOD,
1109 State Street.

John Scott of Boston, says:
Professor Munyon:
Dear Sir—I have taken all kinds of remedies for dyspepsia and have received absolutely no benefit until I tried your Paw-Paw. This wonderful remedy seemed to act at once. I am more than glad to state that I have not had a particle of my old trouble since using Munyon's Paw-Paw. Yours,
(Signed) JOHN SCOTT.
12 Kendall Street.

At all druggists, $1 per bottle. Paw-Paw Laxative Pills, 25c per bottle.

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30 PINE STREET
Reorganized and restocked. 10,000 yards of new goods just opened at lower prices than ever before.
Ottoman Waistings, Mercerized Cheviots, Mercerized Sea Island Waistings and Suitings, Madras Shirtings and Ginghams, Silks, Sateens, Outing Flannels and American Prints, etc., over 5000 yards in pound bundles.
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You Cannot Ask for Anything in the ELECTRIC LINE That You Cannot Get at
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All orders promptly attended to. 64 Middle street. Telephone 468-4.

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THE EAGLE CREDIT HOUSE
190 and 192 Middlesex Street
This advertisement is good for $1.00 on first purchase of $10.00 or more.
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For stricture and kindred diseases, especially in old cases where doctors fail, use
ZY-MO
a non-poisonous vegetable CURE for all private urinary diseases and weakness of men and women. ZY-MO is GUARANTEED TO CURE OR MONEY REFUNDED. Cures new cases in 48 hours without pain. Especially advised for old obstinate cases. Druggists, or sent prepaid, $1. Address Dr. Ray & Co., 87 Prager building, Boston, Mass. Free medical advice given. Write for book sent sealed—FREE. ZY-MO sold in Lowell by
ELLINGWOOD & CO., Cor. ... St.

MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS
of all descriptions, in granite, marble and bronze; also cemetery and lawn vases. The largest stock in the city at
GUMB BROS.,
Corner Gorham and Anderson Streets, near Edson cemetery.
Telephone 58-3.

WANT ANYTHING?
Ask and you shall receive; that is, if you advertise in The Sun.

SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE—Will J. L. Smith who got Boston trip book at S. Scott's please return book and avoid further trouble.

DOUBLE STAMPS, BLUE—All this week, 60 with a pound of Baking Powder, 40 with a pound of Tea, 20 with a pound of coffee. Double stamps on crockery and glassware. Dickson's tea store, 88 Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

HELP WANTED

AGENTS WANTED—To sell a high grade office specialty to banks and business houses. Liberal profits and permanent trade. Harper & Co., Camden, N. J.

WANTED—A girl to do housework. Apply 542 Central street.

WANTED—An experienced box shipper and nailer; also 2 experienced box makers. A. A. Elliot's box factory, Tyngsboro, Mass.

WANTED—Woman to take care of two children. C. H. Crear 31 Coburn street.

BARBER wanted. Sun building.

WANTED—A table girl at 31 Stackpole street.

WANTED—Experienced cook at Osgood's, 30-31 Hunt corp.

WANTED—Middle aged Catholic lady to do general housework; must be sober and upright. Call after 6 o'clock evenings at 56 Chamber street.

TABLE GIRL wanted at 532 Market street.

WANTED—Young man to learn pulling over. Apply at Stover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—Two smart, experienced kitchen girls at 53 Lee street.

WANTED—Lady agents not over 35 by a gentleman having a good article for sale. Write R. Stone, general delivery, Lowell.

AGENTS for accident and health insurance; large commissions to energetic solicitors; attractive policies; low premiums; applications easily obtained. Imperial Registration Co., 11 Broadway, New York.

TO MANUFACTURERS—Special inducements will be offered to manufacturers locating factories in a southern seaport city, the location of which is unexcelled for the speedy and economical distribution of manufactured products by rail or water to the largest consuming centres of the United States and foreign countries. It being only about 300 miles from New York city by s. s. will furnish and possess good references. For further information address "Development," care The Sun, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED Six good carpenters. Apply at 11 Wilson street or 149 D street.

WANTED—A middle-aged woman to keep house for two people and one child; good home to the right party. Call this evening and Sunday, rear 124 High street.

WANTED Housegirl at Employment office, 581 Gorham street.

TO LET

TO LET—Five-room tenement, hot and cold water, bath and pantry. Inquire rear of 201 South street.

TO LET—Warm, sunny tenements for the winter: Middlesex street, 3 rooms, $7.50 per month; 1 rooms, $5, and 6 rooms, $10. Marshall street, 3 rooms, $8.50. Beside Northern depot, 2 rooms, $4, and 4 rooms $9. Concord street, 3 rooms, $3.50, and five rooms, $7.50. Centralville, 5 rooms, $8.50. Every one of the above is in first-class condition and we invite your inspection. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—A store in Little Canada, corner Allen and Chelmsford streets; this store can be used as an office. Mrs. J. H. Chagnon, 18 Decatur street.

TO LET—Three or four room tenement, use of bath, hot and cold water. 194 Bridge street.

TO LET—Pleasant upstair tenement of 7 rooms; pantry, bath and good piazza; separate doors; at 233 Fairmount street, junction of Rogers. Apply 311.

TO LET—Desk room in one of the best fitted up offices in Lowell; steam heat, vault, large safe, etc. Inquire at rooms 47 and 48 Central block.

TO LET—Half double house, 110 Sixth street; 4 rooms; on car line. Apply 65 Myrtle street.

TO LET—An apartment of five rooms with bath and modern conveniences. 38 Branch street, corner Nickols street.

TO LET—Nice 7 room cottage on State street. Inquire at 78 Tyler street.

TENEMENTS TO LET—On Ludlow street, containing five rooms, with bath, pantry and large yard. Inquire on premises or Wm. Clements, 414 Broadway.

TO LET—Steam heated rooms, gas and bath at 159 Gorham street.

TO LET—Cottage house on Batchelder's court. Key and information at next door.

TO LET—Tenement at 1 Branch place; rent $11. Inquire 25 Willie street.

Furnished Rooms
Best furnished rooms in the city, with steam heat, in the Elliott building, 204 Middlesex street.

TO LET
LOW PRICES. GOOD REPAIRS.
5 rooms, Hosford St. $8.00
4 rooms, Abbott St. 6.00
7 rooms, bath, Hawthorn St. 10.00
7 rooms, Lawrence St. 11.00
3 rooms, Central St. 5.00
Store and 3 rooms, Central St. 12.00
Cottage and barn, Bridge St. 8.00
Cottage and 4 rooms, Varnum Ave. 8.00
Store and 3 rooms, Lawrence St. 9.00
Store, Merrimack St. 16.00
Blacksmith shop, Charles St. 12.00
5 rooms, Central St. 10.00
3 rooms, Liberty street 8.00
9 rooms, Westford St. 18.00
APPLY 468 CENTRAL STREET

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED By a dressmaker, to go out sewing by the day; terms moderate. Address Dressmaker, Sun office.

WANTED At once, position by an experienced bookkeeper. Best of references. Address, W., Sun office.

ENGINEER, second class, wants position. 15 years' experience with high speed and compound engines; also experienced with Corliss engine. Address Engineer, Sun office.

WANTED Situation as coachman; married, total abstainer, thoroughly understands the care of horses, first-class reference. Call 81 Chestnut street.

WANTED A situation as neat or pastry cook; restaurant preferred. Inquire 280 Appleton street.

WANTED—A situation as housekeeper by widow with child 6 years old; very reliable housekeeper and first-class cook; in good family, none others need apply. Address X. Y. Z., Sun office.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A. Stein, 353 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 25 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments, lowest rates in city. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, Room 76, Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Leaves paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Lunahan, Room 9, Barristers hall.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—An English rabbit hound trained for hunting; good watch dog. Apply 17 D street.

FOR SALE—A good sewing machine; very reasonable. Inquire 62 Willow St.

FOR SALE—Small lodging house for sale cheap for cash. Inquire 839 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—First-class retail liquor saloon on Westminster street, Providence, R. I.; rent reasonable; part cash, balance can remain on mortgage. James McGinn, 26 Ames street, Providence, R. I.

FOR SALE—Cheap, nice chiffonniere bed. Apply 22 Third avenue, Pawtucketville; upstairs.

FOR SALE—Bay mare, 1050 lbs., natural reader and stylish; concord wagon, nearly new. Inquire at this office.

WOOD LOT FOR SALE—16½ acres, two miles from Pawtucket bridge; price $650; a great bargain. A. J. & H. W. J. Howe, Courier-Citizen building.

FOR SALE—A well furnished lodging house doing a good business in a central location. Address B. A. C., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Barber shop furniture cheap for cash. Apply 62 Charles street.

FOR SALE—Good paying boarding house of 21 furnished rooms; fine location; will sell for $1100. Apply 27 Orchard street, Lawrence.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—Portable pool and billiard table, suitable for house use; will sell cheap if taken at once. Inquire No. 10 Sydney street.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 60 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Two nice male collie puppies, 4 months old, kind and affectionate; cheap to good home. Apply Billings' livery stable, Merrimack street, opposite Tremont.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 25 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 3/8 ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c. linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c. per line. J. M. Fellows, 168 Merrimack St.

MISCELLANEOUS

H. A. THOMPSON'S PREVENTION AND CURE. It prevents and cures colds, pneumonia, attacks of fever, sore throat, sore lungs, hard or painful coughs, la grippe and rheumatism in any stage. All druggists, 25c. per bottle.

MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office. 355 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

MUSIC—German zither music furnished at reasonable rates for concerts, dinner parties, church entertainments and home recitals. John C. Hansen, Hon Marcho studio.

MADAME LENOIR, clairvoyant and card reader, corner Lawrence and Tyler streets. Ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c. Hours 10 a. m. to 12 and 2 to 10 p. m.

IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 260 Central St.

PARLOR MILLINERY—Mrs. A. Van Hine, 105 Gates street; opening Friday and Saturday; choice line of trimmed hats and latest millinery novelties.

IF YOU WANT to sell your house or farm let me hear from you quickly; if you want fire, life or accident and sickness insurance, it will pay you well to know what I can give you. M. J. Sharkey, Swan's building, 26 Central street.

MRS. FLETCHER, 769 Gorham street, trance business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 68 Middle street, Lowell, Mass. Telephone 835-13.

JOHNK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Hoyle Bros. Telephone.

PRIVATE LESSONS in English given to those who desire for 25 cents an hour; also lessons in drawing and painting for children; oils, water colors or crayon; 25 cents an hour; hours from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. Miss Wilkins, 150 Andover street.

BUY YOUR HAT at Delorme's, where you can have it cleaned free of charge for one year. Repairing a specialty. 281 Middlesex street.

LANDSCAPE GARDENER and turf grading. Apply M. J. Bloomfield, 31 West Fourth street.

THE COLONIAL COLLEGE of Dramatic Arts, Swan building; acting, elocution, oratory, dramatic literature. Call or write for prospectus.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 159 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGauvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City hall.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief. Powerful combination. Used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents. Druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects. Cures dandruff and itching scalp. Prevents falling hair. Harmless, 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw, 418 Middlesex street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Gold chain bracelet on Merrimack or Central streets Wednesday afternoon. Reward for return to 51 Worthen street.

LOST—Between O'Donnell's and Kirk street, lady's pocketbook with sum of money Tuesday afternoon. Return 47 Schator street.

LOST—Small picture pin somewhere between Coburn street and Hamilton mill. Reward for return to 90 Coburn street.

LOST—Pocketbook in 5 and 10 cent store Tuesday afternoon. If the lady who picked it up will return same to 5 and 10 cent store she will receive reward.

LOST—Saturday evening, purse containing small sum of money between John Nolan's residence and Chapel street. Finder rewarded at Sun office.

WANTED

YOUNG MEN to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively, no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamp. Department 28 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg, New York.

WANTED—To buy chickens, R. P. Rocks, R. I. Reds. Address, stating number and price, R. N. Maker, Floredith farm, Collinsville, Mass.

WANTED—Small children to board; $1.50 per week. Mrs. Ellen Gower, Pelham, N. H.

WANTED—To buy home in the city for cash; only those that wish to sell and sell low need apply. Box 425, city.

LADIES wishing to make their own dresses will now have the opportunity to learn the Dealey Dress Cutting System at 62 London street. Come now.

YOUNG LADIES to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson, no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamps. Department 28 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg, New York.

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☞The Sun receives the full day service of The Associated Press, the greatest news-gathering organization in the world. The entire service received over a leased wire, by our own operator in our own office in The Sun building.

SWORN CIRCULATION FOR SEPTEMBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of September, 1903, was **14,632** A gain of 1128 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Oct. 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

Two verdicts rendered in superior court yesterday afford ample proof of the wisdom of keeping dangerous dogs muzzled or else out of the way where they can do no harm.

The mule spinners have decided to investigate child labor in Lowell. That is a good idea. Sift the matter to the bottom and produce the proof if any there be, of the charges made that the law is being violated in regard to child labor in this city.

The Pelham Sing has become an established custom in Pelham and one which it is well to cherish as elevating and inspiring to the entire town. Whatever of sorrow, of adversity or disaster the town may have suffered during the year is forgotten on the day of Greeley's sing and all join in swelling the grand volume of ecstatic harmony that makes the welkin ring.

TEMPERANCE INSTRUCTION IN SCHOOLS.

The very commendable effort to have temperance instruction in the schools has met with a serious setback in Pennsylvania where the State Medical society has issued a pronunciamento against the text books used. A special committee of the society reports that after examining fifty-four text books, it finds those supervised by the W. C. T. U. most reprehensible in the matter of misstating the actual nature of alcohol and alcoholic drinks.

The committee very properly says that there is nothing to be gained by teaching that alcohol is a rank poison and that those who taste it are sinners. The pupil will sooner or later learn the truth and if he finds that his teacher misstated facts, much of the good effect of her other work in the pupils' behalf will be discredited or nullified.

PROFESSOR LANGLEY'S AIRSHIP.

For some years past Professor Langley, secretary of the Smithsonian Institute, has been studying hard upon a scheme for an airship, one that was to eclipse all other efforts at aerial navigation. Professor Manley, who had assisted Professor Langley in his exhaustive study, ventured to make the ascent, but was dumped into the Potomac river after the flying machine had been impelled about 100 yards by the initial impetus. It was dragged out a total wreck, and the whole affair was quite as amusing as the adventure of Darius Green and his "flying machcen."

The Langley flying machine was made of steel and was sixty feet long, to be worked by a gasolene motor, assisted by large wings twelve by twenty-two feet.

The sudden descent of the machine from the launching elevation indicates that although it cost Professor Langley years of laborious effort, yet it has not a single fundamental principle of a real flying machine. The efforts of Santos Dumont in France met with fair success, and his idea of the essentials of an airship seem to be fairly correct. Langley's design, however, is evidently wrong in principle and utterly absurd as proved by yesterday's trial. He is said still to have faith in his invention, but that is the case with the author of every crazy notion, no matter how great the failure.

If we are soon to have airships we are convinced that they will not be of the Langley type.

CHAMBERLAIN'S DECEPTION OF BALFOUR.

One of the shrewdest and yet one of the meanest political tricks ever played by a politician was perpetrated upon Premier Balfour by Joseph Chamberlain, when the latter induced the premier to swerve from the free trade policy to a position colsely allied to that now held by Chamberlain himself.

Balfour changed his attitude in regard to free trade in order to hold Chamberlain in the cabinet, but by so doing he lost the support of men almost equally influential and important in his cabinet, such, for example, as the Duke of Devonshire. Then when Balfour had almost disrupted his party by publishing his views in favor of a certain form of protection, while his party was astounded at his assaults upon free trade, Chamberlain submitted his resignation on the ground that he was not in accord with the Premier on the tariff question and could not continue in the cabinet. At that same time, however, Mr. Balfour was more at odds with the rank and file of his supporters than he was with Chamberlain.

Thus Chamberlain left Balfour standing as it were upon an isolated rock in the ocean with the waves threatening to engulf him, and had not the king come to his rescue the prime minister must have gone down in the seething elements that assailed him.

Chamberlain has started upon his campaign and he is making an equally shrewd appeal to the people, attempting to convince them that England is falling behind the United States and Germany in her industrial status, and if he can convince the people of this and convince them that a protective tariff will restore England's industrial and commercial prestige, he will have won his battle and paved the way for his becoming prime minister of England.

There is no doubt that Chamberlain will stir the people to a demand for a radical change in the fiscal policy of England, and that sooner or later a system of protection and trade reciprocity will be established as a result.

THE PRESENT IMMIGRATION LAW.

The New York Chamber of Commerce has come out strongly against the present immigration law, claiming that it leaves to the steamship lines at the ports of departure too much discretion in the examination of intending immigrants.

This power, it is claimed, should rest mainly with the United States authorities, and an appeal is made for the repeal of the present law and the enactment of a more restrictive measure.

Under the act of 1893 the United States consuls at the ports of embarkation had jurisdiction over the immigrants allowed to embark for this country. Furthermore, the manifest sheets containing the names and information concerning the passengers were sworn to by the captain and surgeon of the ship before the United States consuls prior to sailing.

The new law passed March 3 of the present year, provides that the oath, formerly taken before the U. S. consuls prior to sailing, is now taken before the immigration commissioners in the ports of arrival.

The consuls at the port of embarkation have now little or no supervision over the list of passengers, and this is the main point of the new law to which objection is taken.

It is claimed that under this arrangement a large number of undesirable immigrants have been landed on our shores during the past year, and that under the present law any nation in Europe can ship its paupers and criminals to this country. While such a thing may be barely possible to a limited extent, still matters are not quite as bad as represented by the New York Chamber of Commerce, but nevertheless it is to our interest in order to guard against the influx of undesirable immigrants, against the coming here of diseased persons and against smugglers to have the passengers scrutinized not only by the American consuls at the ports of embarkation but also by American doctors who can guard especially against the importation of diseases.

It is undeniable that the present law is too loose and unguarded to attain the best results. It can and should be improved.

SEEN AND HEARD

The poet is born; the poetess maid.

Even a man of high degree may be taken down by a stenographer.

Women are far more heroic than men—they back off a street car.

Going behind the bar is often the result of going before the bar.

It's a lucky thing for some men who claim to be the architects of their own fortunes that there were no building inspectors around.

Jokes in New York theatres must be pretty tough when one of them killed a a spectator Tuesday night. Are there any such death-dealing jokes hurled from Lowell playhouses?

We hear much about the state of the apple crop, but that useful household fruit, the grape, is overlooked. Grapes are scarce this year, and consequently there will be a lack of home "jels."

The strict observance by othodox Jews of their religious feasts, as was seen in Lowell last week, recalls the Jewish ideas on the meat question. Most of Lowell's beef comes from the west, but the Jews do not eat it. They are compelled by their religon to consume beef that is slaughtered nearer home, and have no use for meat that has been slaughtered more than 72 hours. The Jewish "Kosher" beef is killed by a rabbi. The animal is first strung up by hind legs. A strap is then placed around his nose and by a pulley arrangement the head is thrown back completly exposing the throat. The rabbi, armed with a long, sword-like knife, then severs the jugular vein and the creature is left for several hours for the blood to flow out. The Jews in Lowell consumes a great many fowls also. They have a number of slaughter houses here.

To old residents in that vicinity it occasioned no surprise to hear that an old sewer had been discovered in Cross street. In the early history of Lowell, the lower end of cross street, especially that part near the "city yard," was low and marshy, and the present surface is "made land." Indeed, the "city yard" was the city dump and was used as a dump till the early 70's. At one time the Machine Shop dumped there, and many an "Acre" boy gathered old iron there and earned an honest penny by selling the junk to "Amby" Ready. The Machine Shop refuse was a veritable Klondike in those days, but the bosses of the "big shop" have grown wiser since, and its refuse is not so rich in "pay dirt."

"If "Mike" Mahoney turns down McKinley, which he is likely to do, and graces the state senate with his presence, we may loook for Lowell needs being pressed in oratory. Mr. Mahoney is a graduate of a school of elocution and a reader and actor of merit, as thousands can testify. He will fitly represent our great industrial community on the floor of the senate.

Automobiles are expensive luxuries. According to a local owner of one of these vehicles, the first cost is insignificant compared with the cost of repairs and the time consumed in keeping the "auto" in running order. "My machine is a standard make," he said, "and I bought it new from the manufacturers at a large cost, but I am continually compelled to pay for repairs, small in detail, but large in aggregate. I am satisfied that an automobile is not the vehicle for a person of moderate means."

$150,000,000 MORTGAGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 9.—A mortgage for $150,000,000, given by the Lehigh Valley railroad to the Girard Trust company of Philadelphia, was filed yesterday in the office of the record of deeds for the issue of general consolidated bonds which was lately authorized by the directors.

Putnam & Son Co.

166 Central Street

Concerning Clothes

WE wonder if the men to whom the many clothing advertisements are addressed ever think of the different degrees of tailoring — and there are degrees — or that some organizations employ only skilful tailors, masters of their craft — who command the highest price for their labor — while others content themselves with the cheapest workmen; cheapest for obvious reasons? After all it is the labor that counts for most in clothes. The man who pays a good many dollars for his suit gets more than mere fancy's worth: he gets the carefullest work of the carefullest tailors. The suit you pay $30 for will have more tailoring put into it than the one for $20. You can't get something for nothing, or all of all the best for a little.

In reckoning clothes values, remember what we have written, it applies here; everywhere; dollar for dollar's worth, this store is giving clothing values that wins it new friends every day — 'twas never stronger with the right kind of friend winners than at this moment.

ROGERS, PEET & CO.,

send us the carefullest tailored ready-to-wear clothing in the world. Clothes ready-to-put-on that are in a class by themselves. Merchant tailoring methods of the best sort have been applied on an enormous scale to the production of ready-made — by these people — and they have revolutionized the business. Today three-fourths of the men to whom we sell Rogers-Peet's clothes have been accustomed to having suits made to order. They find this new way of getting clothes ever so much easier, more satisfactory, and far less expensive. We have now twenty-seven lots of Rogers-Peet's winter suits in fine cheviots, worsteds and blacks and blues ready for men who wish the best that money will pay for

$15 to $30 a suit

MEN'S WINTER SUITS,

for $10, $12 and $15, and we believe these are unquestionably the best suits ever shown for the price asked. These are all from cloths of our own selection — strictly all wool and in a very wide range of the newest colorings and handsomest patterns of today. With the fancy patterns superior qualities of black Thibets, unfinished worsteds and black worsted cheviots, cut by the latest patterns, tailored in our own shops, this moderate-priced clothing we stand back of, and guarantee to the fullest extent. The coats are in single and double breast sacks with the new close fitting collar and narrow graceful lapels. It is excellent clothing, of a distinct character, and, values considered, from $2 to $5 less in cost than others ask — our prices

$10, $12 and $15 the suit

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS,

that have created a furore with young men. We've got a new maker on these goods and he knows his business. He can give them all "cards and spades" and beat them hands down. If you're young—and haven't found suits that were up to your ideas of style, there's a great treat for you here. There's style in every inch of this young men's clothing, from coat collar to trousers hem. It's a trifle more than up-to-date in patterns of cloth and cut—and when it comes to fit, you'll admit, if you try it, you've never seen clothes fit as well. Sacks single or double breast; short and trappy; trousers big at the thigh, small at the foot; it's a great line—

$10 to $20 for this sort

Notice to Mothers of Boys

Though we believe our policy in regard to returns has had more influence than any one thing in building up our great business in men's clothing, we often forget that new customers, and especially mothers of boys, are not familiar with our methods. The key note of our policy is that no customer shall think that he or she has the worst end of any bargain with us. Anything bought in our store may be returned at any time, if unused, and no questions asked. If anything proves unsatisfactory after use, you alone shall judge of the service the thing should give, and we will take it back, refund the money, less what you say it has been worth to you. Under these conditions are we careful what we offer? Rather.

For Boys 3 Years to 6

there's nothing more juvenile than Russian blouse suits. The little frocks are made with the new Eton collar, with broad Sailor collars or with the military standing collar. These Russian suits of pretty cheviots or navy blue, brown and red serges, prices from

$3.50 to $7.00

For Boys 4 Years to 10

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For Boys 8 Years to 16

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Boys' Underwaists	23c to 48c
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Boys' Heavy Sweaters	38c to $1.50
Boys' Golf Caps	12 1-2c to 50c
Boys' Sailor Caps	25c to $1.39
Boys' Mohair Tams	25c to 65c
Boys' Heavy Gloves	23c to 45c
Boys' Street Gloves	95c
Boys' Heavy Cotton Stockings,	8c and 12 1-2c
Boys' New Silk Bows	10c

OLD SOLDIER SUED

He Promised to Marry His Erstwhile Housekeeper

She Values Her Wounded Affections at $3000 — A Writ Was Served Yesterday

Because, she says, Sylvanus C. Smiley didn't keep his promise to marry her, Elizabeth R. Fulton has sued him for breach of contract. The writ was served yesterday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Clark and the amount of damage named is $3000.

Mr. Smiley is janitor at Post 120 hall and is prominent in Grand Army circles. Miss Fulton was Mr. Smiley's housekeeper for eight or 10 years and while serving in that capacity she alleges that Mr. Smiley promised to marry her and that he does not intend to fulfil his promise.

Both parties are well along in years. Mr. Smiley lives in Washington street. The writ is made returnable on the first Monday of November at the superior court in Cambridge.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

INTEREST IN THE FIRST ISSUE OF THE REVIEW.

The first number of the High School Review made its appearance yesterday. The contents of the paper are as follows: A new front page design has been made by Schyler Waller, a student and artist on the paper.

The contents of the paper are as follows, "Love Will Find a Way," a story; "How Sarah Jane Went to the Wedding," a story; "When Riches and Poverty Meet," a story; exchanges, personal, commercial department, editorial, athletics, etc.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE.

The following is the schedule of games to be played by the High school football team during the season:

Oct. 10, Lowell High vs. Revere High, at Lowell; Oct. 13, open; Oct. 17, Boston Mechanics Art vs. Lowell High, at Lowell; Oct. 21, Lowell High vs. Haverhill High, at Haverhill; Oct. 24, Lowell High vs. Lawrence High, at Lowell; Oct. 28, open; Oct. 31, Lowell High vs. Leominster High, at Lowell; Nov. 4, Nashua High vs. Lowell High, at Nashua; Nov. 7, Newburyport High vs. Lowell High at Newburyport; Nov. 11, Lowell High vs. Haverhill High, at Lowell; Nov. 14, Lowrence High vs. Lowell High, at Lawrence; Nov. 18, open; Nov. 21, Lowell High vs. Leominster, at Leominster; Nov. 26, Boston Preparatory vs. Lowell High, at Lowell.

TORTURED TO DEATH

BOY WAS PUNISHED BY SCHOOL TEACHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 9.—The trial of Andreas Dippold, a tutor who whipped to death the son of Director Koch of the Deutsche bank, a lad of 14 years, was continued yesterday at Beyreuth. The doctor who examined the body of the lad, Heinz Koch, testified that he had been tortured to death. Medical experts declared that the prisoner was mentally sound, but of unnatural instincts.

PERSONALS

Mr. Thomas McCarthy, teacher of flute and picolo, who is now engaged at Columbia theatre, Boston, is to remain in Lowell this winter. It was inadvertently stated that Mr. McCarthy was going to Lakewood, N. J. Although playing in Boston he will live at home, 13 Harrison street, this city.

Mrs. S. T. Ford spoke yesterday afternoon at Manchester, before the New Hampshire State Association of the Christian Church. Her subject was "Some Essentials in Primary Teaching."

Mrs. W. P. Libby of Somerville, and Mrs. Mattie Heath of Stanstead, P. Q., returned yesterday to Boston after making a visit with Mrs. James P. Roberts of West Fifth street.

The many Lowell friends of Rev. and Mrs. Charles R. McNally will hear with much pleasure that in a letter that reached Lowell yesterday, Mr. McNally stated that Mrs. McNally's health is very much improved, and while still in Nova Scotia, she expects to return to her home in Brooklyn, N. Y., in a few weeks.

The Rev. J. L. Hoyle, pastor of the First Congregational church, Pelham, will, on October 11, 18 and 25, preach a series of three sermons on the "Parable of the Prodigal Son," and in the evening he will conduct services, illustrated by the stereopticon.

Miss Susie Corinne Smith, private secretary to Mr. S. E. Walker of Northfield, who is business manager of the "Christian Work," a periodical of which William Rend Moody, elder son of the late Dwight L. Moody, is editor, is visiting her mother, Mrs. John T. Smith, of 21 Jewett street. Miss Smith returns to Northfield about October 20.

A very pleasant party of friends was entertained by Mrs. Melvin of South street, Chelmsford, on Thursday evening. Those present were from Lowell and Chelmsford. Miss Eaton and Mrs. Chellis entertained by musical selections, and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Felker and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Twiss of Tewksbury are at East Jaffrey, N. H., and report hunting and fishing excellent and are having a general good time.

John E. Maguire of the bureau of information at the police station, is on a two weeks' vacation in New York.

Miss Edith Fellowes of Haverhill is on a visit to her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Fisk, at 40 Gates street.

William Dalmage, assistant janitor of city hall, is on his vacation, which he is spending at Swansea, near Fall River.

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BOY DISAPPEARED

His Mother Thinks He Was Kidnapped

Mrs. Frezette, mother of the boy, Commodore Frezette, who is missing from his home at 38 South street, called at this office this morning and asked to have a certain statement embodied in the story of her boy's disappearance corrected. She said: "I do not think my husband had anything to do with the boy's disappearance. I do believe,

COMMODORE FREZETTE.

however, that Mr. White knows where the boy is." As already stated the boy left home in company with Eli White, a Middlesex street hairdresser, Saturday morning. Mr. White engaged the boy to clean a cellar but when the boy looked the job over, Mr. White says, he decided that he wouldn't have anything to do with it, and left the shop. That was the last Mr. White saw of the boy. Mr. White has told his story to the police and to the clerk of the police court. He says he is in no way responsible for the boy's disappearance. As the boy is sixteen years of age it is just possible that he may have considered himself able to look out for himself for a while, but the probability is that he has either been taken by force or lured away for some reason as yet unknown.

OBJECT TO TERMS

Will of Susan Blaisdell to be Contested

The terms of the will of Susan A. Blaisdell, who died in this city a few months ago, are being objected to by her heirs-at-law. A hearing in the matter was held in the probate court at Cambridge on Wednesday. Mrs. Blaisdell was the widow of Hiram W. Blaisdell who was well known in this city. Her relatives who were beneficiaries claim that she was of unsound mind when the will was made. She disposed of property to the amount of about $30,000, about $20,000 of which went to her relatives.

W. C. T. U. REPORT

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR ENSUING YEAR.

The annual business meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held yesterday afternoon, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. W. H. Yarrow; secretary, Mrs. Ida Burk; treasurer, Mrs. L. A. Black; auditor, Mrs. Louise M. Fletcher; evangelical and press superintendent, Mrs. E. C. Brown; superintendent of work among the sailors, Mrs. J. H. Shaw; superintendents of literature, Mrs. H. C. Wilder and Mrs. J. Dennis; superintendent of anti-narcotics, Mrs. Louise Fletcher; superintendent of almshouse, Mrs. Gillespie; superintendent of employment bureau, Mrs. L. A. Black.

The secretary read the following report: "The union has held 10 business sessions, and 10 devotional meetings at these rooms. They have held 14 gospel temperance services at the city farm, the pastors of our different churches willingly giving their time to conduct each service. Miss Maude Black has kindly volunteered to assist in the music, both instrumental and vocal. We would extend our hearty thanks to all who have helped us in this work. Our superintendents of almshouse work, Mrs. Gillespie and Mrs. Harris, are worthy of our sincere thanks for their faithful visitations among the inmates of the farm. Many a lonely one has been cheered and encouraged to a better life by these workers. We would thank the editors of our local papers for their generosity in affording us space for many columns of reading. The numbers in our union have decreased to some extent the past year. Several have left the city. Three have withdrawn from us, one who has been long with us having decided to take up work with another organization. Two have died, or been promoted, as our state president likes to say of those whom God has taken from our ranks. Mrs. Sarah Spaulding of Chelmsford and Miss Jennie Piggott of Lowell are the deceased members. We have at present 120 members, 102 active and 18 honorary.

Respectfully submitted,
E. C. BROWN, Secy."

EVENING SCHOOLS

REGISTRATION BEGAN LAST EVE- FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

Registration for the elementary evening schools began last evening. The registration at the High school commenced a week ago, continuing this week.

The schools reported the average number of pupils turning in for registration on the first night. A very large number of Greeks turned in at the Mann school. Should the number prove too large for accommodations, an overflow room, with a Greek interpreter, will be opened at the Green school, as was done last year.

SAVAGE ATTACK

Was Made on Woman in Nashua

MRS. GEORGE E. FRIEND WAS BRUTALLY ASSAULTED

Her Assailant Made His Escape

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 9.—Mrs. Geo. E. Friend, a resident of Derry, who is visiting relatives in this city, was the victim of a very bold assault while walking along West Hollis street yesterday morning.

Mrs. Friend was on her way to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs. Amos Webster, who live on the Dunstable road, just outside the city limits. When near the Nashua machine plant a man rushed out of a growth of scrub oaks in that vicinity and grabbed her by the throat.

The fellow struck her several times, and despite her struggles threw her to the ground and attempted to drag her into the bushes.

Mrs. Friend screamed for help and attracted the attention of some railroad men. When her assailant saw the men approaching he again struck Mrs. Friend and ran away.

Mrs. Friend was taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Albert H. Bailey, of 17 Palm street, and the police were notified.

Mrs. Friend was quite severely bruised about the head and face.

A SON BORN

TO THE MARQUIS OF DONEGAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 9.—An heir was born on Wednesday to the Marquis of Donegal, who is eighty years of age, and who married Miss Twining of Halifax, N. S., who was 22 years old at the beginning of the year. The Marquis had twice previously been married without having issue.

DAIGH DECLARED INSANE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 9—Charles A. Daigh, at one time consulting engineer for the U. S. government in the Clyde shipyards, was declared insane in the court at the detention hospital yesterday. He was committed to the Jefferson asylum. Daigh was a consulting engineer on the battleships Indiana, Kearsarge and Kentucky. He was also at one time assistant chief engineer at the Brooklyn navy yard. He is 43 years old.

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GAIN OF 15,000

Report Made to Gaston Managers

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—An important conference took place at the Revere House last evening, the chairmen of the democratic town and city committees of Greater Boston (not including Boston) rendering reports as to the conditions in their sections.

The net result indicated a tremendous gain for Colonel Gaston.

The candidate for governor was unable to meet the chairmen. He was at Lawrence, where the committee of that city listened to an informal talk on organization. Congressman McNary, chairman of the state committee, represented Mr. Gaston at the Revere House meeting.

There were no set speeches. About all present made informal remarks and listened to advice given by Mr. McNary. A conservative estimate of the democratic gain in Greater Boston (not including Boston) was 15,000. The chairmen were enthusiastic, reporting that the "feeling in the air" in their districts was along the line of a democratic victory.

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For all others who have not previously attended the Lowell Textile school examinations will be held in the subjects of Arithmetic and English at the school on

Thursday, October 15, 1903, at 7 O'clock, P. M.

The fee for each course will be $2.00 per term, or $5.00 per year. Application for admission or catalogue may be made by postal card addressed to the Principal, WM. W. CROSBY, S. B., Lowell, Mass.

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Tomorrow will be the 113th anniversary of the birth of Rev. Theobald Mathew, known throughout the civilized world.

Rev. Fr. Mathew was born at Thomastown, county Tipperary, Ireland, Oct. 10th, 1790, and died about 1851, after years of labor devoted to a cause, which though at that time was destined to be unpopular, has happily grown in popular esteem.

Though the great temperance advocate is dead, as is also his co-worker in the cause, Fr. Thomas Berke, yet their efforts, futile as they may have seemed during their early work, have been taken up with renewed vigor by societies in every city and hamlet in the land with eminent success.

Here in Lowell two societies organized to promote total abstinence have been founded, both enjoying prosperity in the full measure.

In the adjacent towns, too, the temperance spirit has found many supporters, as the large membership of the St. Johns society of North Chelmsford and the Mathews of Billerica will attest.

But though temperance organizations have been formed, until they have become numerous, Lowell feels justly proud in having in its midst, a society whose prestige is felt throughout all New England. Not alone is the Mathew Temperance Institute admired for having the largest number of members in New England, but also because of the great work done and fine results attained among the Catholic youth of our city, for the past 20 years.

Ever since the date of the inception, January 1, 1882, the Mathews have made rapid going in membership until at present the rolls show the record breaking number of 700. Financially speaking, the institute is in the finest condition possible holding real estate to the value of $15,000, and with over $600 in the treasury. This is a record unparalleled in the history of any Catholic society in Massachusetts and of which any community might well feel proud.

TOMORROW'S OBSERVANCE.

The commemoration of the natal day of all temperance bodies will not be celebrated in this city tomorrow. It having been definitely announced in The Sun some weeks ago that the principal observance of the day in Massachusetts would be held in Peabody. The parade in that city tomorrow, while under the supervision of the Essex County C. T. A. U., will be participated in by many organizations from other counties. One of these organizations is the Mathews of our city, which is affiliated with the Boston Archdiocesan T. A. Union.

The Essex County union embraces societies in Lynn, Danvers, Haverhill, Lawrence, Salem, Beverly, Amesbury, Greveland, Methuen, Newburyport, Peabody, Marblehead and Georgetown, all of which have voted to participate in the demonstration. With delegations from the 56 societies in the Boston union and the full quota of members of the Mathews of Lowell in line it can safely be said that nearly 2500 men will take part, thereby eclipsing in numbers the state parade held in Lowell last year.

Hon. Michael F. Ray of Peabody is chief marshal of the parade, and among the members of his staff will be Messrs. Wm. J. Collins and John J. Dolan of this city. The procession will form on Lowell street in Peabody at 2.45 o'clock with the St. John's society of Peabody, headed by Stiles' Eighth Regiment band occupying the right of line.

HUMPHREY F. SULLIVAN, President M. T. I.

LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS.

The final arrangements for the conveyance of the Mathews to Peabody will be announced this evening. The Mathews are to meet in special session this evening for the purpose of admitting new members.

It is arranged to have the members meet at the hall at 1 p.m. sharp, where the line will be formed and a march begun to the Merrimack street depot. The Lowell Military band of 30 pieces will furnish music. At the depot the special train, chartered by the society, will be boarded and with the exception of a brief stop at the Northern depot will proceed directly to its destination. At Peabody the society will be met by members of the chief marshal's staff and escorted to the starting point, which is Lowell street.

At 2.45 p.m. the procession will move over a rather extended route, embracing the principal streets in the business portion of Peabody. At the head of the Mathews will ride Alderman Richard J. McCluskey, marshal; Rev. W. George Mullin, spiritual director, and mounted aids. Delegations from the Burkes of Lowell, the Mathews of Billerica, and the St. John's of North Chelmsford will also accompany the Mathews.

ENTERTAINED IN LYNN.

In response to an invitation from the Fr. Mathew T. A. Society of Lynn, the local contingent will be entertained by that body after the parade at their commodious quarters in Lynn. A concert, smoke-talk and supper, interspersed with speeches by Lowell and Lynn men will be provided. Pres. Sheehan of the Lynn Society states that no stone will be left unturned to make the visit of the Mathews one long to be remembered.

After the festivities in Lynn cars will be taken for Peabody, where at 11 o'clock the special will be taken for the return to the City of Spindles. The Peabody and Salem societies will also entertain the parades in their respective halls.

Thus in brief is the manner in which Fr. Mathew's birthday is to be commemorated and though not in Lowell the good wishes and congratulations of many citizens go with that progressive society, the Mathew Temperance Institute, that stands first, last, and always for "temperance, peace and prosperity" in the community.

PRESIDENT MEET CABINET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8. President Roosevelt yesterday summoned to the White House several members of his cabinet. They were Secretaries Hay, Moody and Cortelyou, and Attorney General Knox.

It was the desire of the president merely to discuss with them matters of pen and concern. They remained with him for about three-quarters of an hour. Made no statement of the nature of the conference was made public. It is now that it was not of public importance.

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER.

WILD SHOOTING

Reckless Hunters Disturb Tewksbury Folk

Reckless shooting is disturbing the good people over Tewksbury way, and they want it stopped. Hunters, criminally careless, they say, are in the woods day in and day out, especially on Sunday, and they seem to have utter disregard for life or property.

Last Sunday one of the oldest residents of the town lost a valuable St. Bernard dog in this way. He was in the house at the time and heard the fatal shot fired but when he arrived upon the scene the men had decamped. Some of his employes, however, had seen the hounds of the hunters previous to the shooting, though they failed to obtain a glimpse of the men. The dog at the time was on the premises of his master and was within 300 feet of the barn, and the owner is of the opinion that the dog was killed in cold blood instead of by mistake or accident.

As there was a row on the other side of the wall just below the spot where the dog was killed, it is believed that the cow also had a narrow escape.

Last year a resident of the town while walking on the shore of Mud Pond was startled by a bullet which whizzed by his head, having evidently come from the other side of the pond.

VICEROY HAUEN

IS STAMPING OUT THE REVOLUTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 9.—Viceroy Tan Shun Hauea, since taking charge of the movement against the Kwang Si rebels of South China has been successful and Hong Kong papers predict that he will crush the revolution which has been in progress for three years and which is aided by the Chinese in the United States and elsewhere. A large consignment of arms was successfully run to the rebels during August.

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TO INVESTIGATE

Committee on Child Labor to Visit Lowell

Now that a special committee has been appointed to investigate the child labor question in the Lowell mills it is to be hoped that something will be done to render it impossible for children under 14 years of age to procure certificates. Because Supt. Whitcomb says there are no children under the age limit employed in the mills in Lowell doesn't make it so. The reading public have long since known that Mr. Whitcomb is not infallible. He's an easy talker and while he may have all the confidence that he says he has in the officers who issue certificates to applicants, he must make a personal investigation of the situation before he appears in print as authority for the statement that the law is being observed to the letter.

The mill agents are a unit in declaring that they will receive the committee appointed by the mule spinners courteously and that they will be as much interested in the investigation as will be the committee. It is right that the agents should be interested, and let us hope that when the committee comes to Lowell that all of the children employed in the mills today will be there.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The Miss New York, Jr., extravaganza company opened a three nights' engagement at the Academy of Music last night and despite the inclemency of the weather there was a very large and appreciative audience. Miss New York, Jr. is by no means new to this city, and this show has always played to crowded houses. While the performance is about entirely different from last year, if anything it is better, a higher class of artists being with the company, while the songs are new and catchy, the chorus good and the costumes worn of the most costly nature.

The performance opens with a satire entitled "Sir Thomas Slipton's Reception," which is a nautical skit for laughing purposes only. The cast is made up of such people as Billy Pearl, Herman Marion, Albert Lavelle and Miss Minnie Granville and others. Billy Pearl and Herman Marion, who impersonated Capt. Hardweather and Hamfat, an actor, respectively, kept the audience convulsed with laughter during the greater part of the performance, their funny songs, new and up-to-date jokes, together with their funny situations, serving as laugh makers.

The performance opens with a medley entitled "Over the Pommery Foam," Miss Minnie Granville assisted by the chorus, sings "My Little Coney Isle," and for an encore rendered "Julie." "When the Watermelon Comes Around" was sung by Billy Pearl and Miss Granville and Wells. A mixed sextet sang "Hy La, Hy La," and "Asleep in the Deep" was well received, the solo parts being sustained by Miss Granville, Ed. Faunthroy, assisted by the company, gave "Caroline, My Caroline," and the closing finale introduced the following musical numbers: "When the Band Was Playing Dixey," "A Starry Night," "My Nightingale," and "Gen. Hartack on Guard."

The olio opens up with vocal selections by Miss Pemberton, a Haverhill girl who charmed the audience with her sweet voice and clever situations. Albert and Rose Lavelle gave a novel and very entertaining turn, performing a number of very difficult and pretty knick knack dances, while their turn wound up with an exhibition of the Sevengall doll, Meg Lavelle being the doll. Marion and Pearl, comedians and eccentric acrobats, sang jokes, sang songs and wound up with a clever acrobatic act. Odell and Pearce, two old favorites in this city, appeared in their new Alphouse and Gaston act, which brought forth hearty applause. The Faunthroys wound up the olio with a new and novel electrical singing act, the singing of "The Holy City" with kinetoscope accompaniment, being something which has never been exhibited in this city before.

The performance concluded with a mirth provoking comedy in one scene, a satire on the opera Employe, entitled "Dear Minnie." Several new songs were introduced during the performance of the satire and the chorus appeared in many different and beautiful costumes.

Taken as a whole the company is a good one and well worth seeing. Performances will be given this afternoon and evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening.

TO STOP LOOTING

PLAN SUGGESTED BY A SOMERVILLE CITIZEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—At the meeting of the Somerville board of aldermen last night, a lengthy communication was received from William H. Ennis of ward 7, who was at one time a member of the city government.

Mr. Ennis called attention to numerous robberies, which he declared were perpetrated in the city to his knowledge by men who secured entrance to houses by displaying a badge purporting to proclaim them employes of gas, electric light and telephone companies.

He asked the aldermen to stop the wholesale looting of houses by enacting an ordinance compelling such companies to put their employes in uniforms.

The communication was referred to the police committee.

BRAZILIAN OFFICERS GREETED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9—Secretary Hay presented to the president yesterday the officers of the Brazilian warship Benjamin Constant, which is now in this country paying an official return visit for visit of the Brazil to present the compliments of this government at the time of the inauguration of the president of that republic. The president greeted the officers cordially. They communicated to him the official assurances of good will and friendship of Brazil.

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BOSTON ONCE MORE

Collins' Men With Dineen Pitching Scored Victory

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 9—Hushed was the hilarity of the National league rooter last night, while the American leaguer was crowing.

Six to three was the score yesterday afternoon and the series now stands three games apiece. Up to the present time the only club in the world to a Pittsburger is the Pittsburg baseball club. No other side is in it with his, and the fact is pointed to with proper pride that the National league pennant was won by Pittsburg, although the team was complete in but 17 championship games this season. This speaks volumes for the Pittsburg team, but not very highly for the clubs with which they contested the past season.

"Not in our class," was the verdict after Boston went down three out of the first four games, but it is now a different story and it is agreed that the Boston American league team is the only one in the land today that has a right to dispute with Pittsburg the matter of baseball supremacy.

Despite the fact that Phillippe is to face the Boston boys today, they feel sure they will be able to take his measure. All three games won by the Pittsburg team have been taken with Phillippe in the box.

True to his promise, Manager Collins put Bill Dineen in to pitch yesterday. It was generally expected that young Yell would do the trick for the locals, but Leever showed up so well in practice that it was decided to put him in the box. He did very well, but the Bostons managed to hit him when runs were needed, while the Pittsburgs hit Dineen in but one inning, so that in the last 18 innings the locals have scored in just two against Collins' men. Every one of the Bostons hit safely. Stahl and Parent each made three-base hits and Lachance got in a drive for two bases. On the other hand, Pittsburg secured but three hits up to the seventh inning. In the seventh they bunched three singles and a double and got two bases on balls and made all of their three runs.

The visitors put up a magnificent article of ball, decidedly the best they have put up in the series. They were very fast, in fact they fairly carried away one's breath by the way they raced after balls that seemed destined to go safely, and they practically played an errorless game. Fred Parent did his work in beautiful style. Hobe Ferris at second let nothing by him. Lachance played a great game at first, and Capt. Collins did not let a thing get away from him, and the way he handled a bunt of Phelps' was a thing to be seen to be appreciated. The work of the Boston outfield was all that could be desired and all of the men made some fine catches.

The Pittsburgs played great ball—they had to in order to avoid a worse beating than they got. Wagner was the mark at short. Pitchey played like the artist that he is and excellent work was done by Beaumont in the outfield. Mr. Beaumont did something he did not do in Boston, he showed great form with the stick and cracked the ball safely four times in succession.

It was a great day for a game of ball and the fans turned out in fine fashion to see the sport. As was the case Wednesday, Secretary Locke was compelled to shut down on the sale of grand stand seats, for that place was packed to the doors. Strings of people lined the ropes in the outfield and ground rules had to be adopted, allowing a man three bases on a ball into the crowd. But two hits went into the congested district, those of Parent and Stahl, and Stahl's would have been good for a home run on the ground but for the throng.

The attendance was not quite so large as that of Wednesday, but it was a big crowd, 11,556, and talk about rooting. The noise was simply deafening when Pittsburg began to score in the seventh inning. Without doubt Dineen was a bit unsteady and he was not to be blamed if such were the case. The locals got no chance like this again, for it was one, two, three in the eighth inning, and in the ninth Beaumont started the inning with a hit and any kind of a rally would have precipitated another storm of cheering, but Clarke hit directly into Parent's hands, who threw to Lachance, accomplishing a double play, and then the Boston bunch had a chance to let themselves out. Then Leach fouled to Criger and the game was over.

That Boston bunch! Don't say a word! They can't talk above a whisper. Not a man, or a lady for that matter, of the lot would have missed the spectacle of yesterday for a good deal. The rooters were in their usual places behind the Boston bench. As usual, they went to the grounds behind their band, which was engaged for the series. Nothing slow about that delegation.

"I do not know what I would have done without them," said Manager Collins. "Their aid in encouraging us to victory has meant lots and lots to us in these games. They share in the victory with us." Each of the rooters was presented with a tiny parasol by a local firm. Each of these parasols was parti-colored and the effect was very pretty as the men waved them in different ways when they sang and marched through the streets after the game.

After the game the band and the Boston rooters clambered down over the front of the grand stand, got into line, marched across the diamond and thence into the streets, and cheering and howling, made a short circuit before arriving at the hotel. There was lots of badinage on the part of the spectators, but most of it was in a kindly spirit. One of the carriages conveyed Mrs. Young, Mrs. Ferris and Mrs. Lachance, and a jolly lot they were. Mrs. Young arrived only Wednesday from the west, and therefore has a percentage of 1000 in victories.

The weather was splendid for the game. The heavy rains of Wednesday night left the air decidedly cool, still it was not uncomfortable. Young batted to the infield. "I'll give 'em enough to do," and he hit the balls around in a way that made the "rabbits" hustle, as he calls Ferris and Lachance. Gibson and Hughes were also in uniform and indulged in batting practice, and Charlie Farrell handed a few down to second base. Young Yell did a few stunts for the locals so as to have his hand in if anything happened to Sam Leever.

The game began promptly with Boston at the bat. The way the Bostons started in in the third and fifth innings was very tiresome to the local rooters, and as the game progressed was very suggestive of a shutout, and therefore the rally of the seventh was all the more appreciated, inasmuch as the locals not only scored but had a chance to tie the game. It was tough, indeed, that hopes were dashed after they had been raised to such a high degree. As has been true in the other games in the series, there was no hitch in the proceedings. Mr. O'Day umpired in the same satisfactory way on balls and strikes that he has in the series, and there is no doubt he is without a superior in this respect, while Mr. Connolly did excellent work on the bases. They make a fine team, this pair.

The following is the score:

BOSTON.

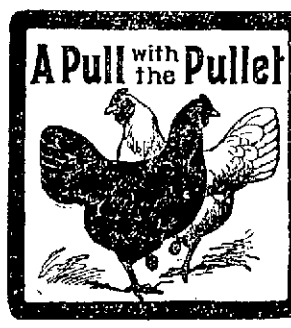
	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Dougherty lf	3	1	1	1	1	0	0
Collins, 3b	5	1	1	1	1	2	0
Stahl cf	5	1	2	4	2	0	0
Freeman rf	5	0	0	0	1	0	0
Parent ss	4	2	1	3	5	2	0
Lachance 1b	4	0	1	2	9	2	0
Ferris 2b	4	0	2	2	1	3	0
Criger c	4	0	1	1	6	0	1
Dineen p	1	1	1	1	1	2	0
Totals	38	6	10	15	27	11	1

PITTSBURG.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Beaumont cf	5	1	4	4	6	0	0
Clarke lf	5	0	2	3	2	0	0
Leach 3b	5	0	0	0	1	2	2
Wagner ss	3	0	0	0	2	5	1
Bransfield 1b	3	0	1	1	11	0	0
Ritchey 2b	3	0	0	0	1	3	0
Schriver rf	4	1	2	2	2	0	0
Phelps c	4	1	1	1	4	0	0
Leever p	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	36	3	10	11	27	12	3

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Boston	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	0	0	— 6
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	— 3

Earned runs, Pittsburg 2, Boston 3. Two base hits, Clarke, Lachance. Three base hits, Stahl, Parent. Stolen bases, Beaumont 2, Clarke, Leach, Stahl. Double plays, Ritchey Wagner and Bransfield; Parent and Lachance. First base on balls, off Leever 2, off Dineen 3. Hit by pitched ball, Parent. Struck out, by Leever 2, by Dineen 3. Time, 2:02. Umpire, O'Day and Connolly. Attendance, 11,556.



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13 Walking and Tailored Skirts, were from $5 to $7.98, at - $3.98 Each

One Gun metal Silk Velvet Skirt, was $26.50, for - - - - $10

18 Shirt Waists of Lawn and Linen, were from $1.98 to $5.50, at 98c Each

43 Shirt Waists of White and Colored Lawns, Piques, Ginghams, etc., were 98c. to $1.50, at - - 49c Each

4 Silk Petticoats, were $6.98, at $4.50 Each

4 Silk Petticoats, were $7 and $10, at $5.50 Each

17 Heavy Long Coats, were from $8 to $15, at - - - $5.00 Each

8 White Silk and Lace Waists, were $7.98 and $10 - - $5 Each

6 Mercerized Cheviot Waists, were $5.49 at - - - - $2.98 Each

8 Black Peau de Soie Waists, were $5.50 to $6.49, at - - - - $4.50

7 Black Silk Waists, were $7.50 to $8.50 at - - - - - - $5.98

1 French Flannel Kimona, was $12.50, at $5.00

1 Japanese Silk Kimona, was $10, at $3.00

2 Eider Down Bath Robes, were $5, and $7, at - - - - - $3.98

30 Light Colored Percale Wrappers, were $1.50, at - - 98c. Each

11 Children's Mackintosh Rain Coats, were $1.98, at - - $1.25

10 Children's Mackintosh Rain Coats, were $3.50 and $5, at - $1.98

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ARGUMENTS HEARD

IN CASE AGAINST NORTHERN PACIFIC ROAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 9.—Arguments were begun yesterday in the United States court of appeals in the case of Camille Weidenfeld against the Northern Pacific road.

This is the original Peter Power case, the first attempt made to defeat the merger before it had completed its gigantic deal for control of two road systems.

The arguments are made on an appeal by Weidenfeld from the order of the United States circuit court through Judge Lochren, dismissing the bill of complaint against the railroad two years ago.

The original action was brought to enjoin the Northern Pacific railroad from retiring $75,000,000 of preferred stock, the first move in the merger scheme.

The attorneys for Weidenfeld insist that the case involves directly the entire merger question, while the appellee declares it does not.

WILLIAM R. KEW

POLICE CAPTAIN KNOWS ALL ABOUT CHINAMEN.

A morning paper says that Police Captain William R. Kew, doesn't believe that local Chinamen are interested in the factional rumpus among Boston Chinamen. The captain says that if any Lowell Chinamen were implicated in the affair he would know about it. It is really too bad that the writers of the "sensational" news didn't know that Captain Kew was in so close touch with the local celestials.

SHY OF NAMES

"Tommy" Little's Papers Will Hardly Go

Unless He Adds More Names to Them as Required by Law —Registrars Reject Many of the Signers — Some of Those Who Signed

The nomination papers filed by "Tommy" Little as the "republican independent" candidate for senator in the seventh district form a wonderful instrument and the poor registrars of voters, whose task it was to see how many of the signatures attached thereto are those of legal voters, has been no sinecure.

Orthographically speaking, as John B. Clancey would put it, the papers are a work of art, many of the signatures closely resembling a Chinese laundry check. Originally there were 160 names on the list, but of these only 100 got by the registrars.

It would now appear that "Tommy" hasn't names enough on his papers to get his name on the official ballot, though it wouldn't take him long to raise other names by means of another paper.

The law requires one name for every 100 votes cast for governor at the last state election, and the gubernatorial vote of the district last fall was considerably over 10,000, the nomination paper thus requiring 100 names.

All parties are included among those who signed "Tommy's" papers, including some whose names are not on the voting lists at all, and others whose names were written in such a manner that the writers themselves could not identify them.

Among the signatures appended to "Tommy's" papers are the following:

Robert Judge, James C. Little, Josiah A. Bow, Frank L. Iles, Edwin S. Eastman, James F. Walker, Edward Lyman, Patrick Medey, James E. Morrisson, Thomas Finnick, William M. Barns, Leonard A. Lantz, Frederick H. Coggeshall, Warren R. Stone, Joseph H. Miller, Martin L. Kirby, Charles P. Lynch, Hugh W. Erdes, Frank C. Way, Francis Raye, Edward W. Chadbourne, Edward H. Page, Henry J. Tarbell, Elmer H. White, George E. Maynard, John H. Cogger, Cortes M. Allen, Albert P. Davis, William Brown, Samuel Scott, James H. Collins, Richard J. Flynn, Louis F. McInnesn, Frank E. Partridge, Bradley A. Messer, John B. Tover, Frank H. Stratton, Edwin A. Wood, Charles H. Hill, John M. Wood, John J. Dowd, Joseph Cavanette, William F. Bethes, George P. Walker, John B. Clancey, James J. Hayes, James Boyd, Charles J. Riley, Thomas F. Hennessey, Thomas J. Fitzgerald, Felix D. Tangevin, Oliver B. Estabrook, William H. Hudgins, Frank Munsevan, John W. Greenlaw, Daniel Carleton Malcanley, James A. Rollins, John H. Ward, Josiah H. Bartlett, Patrick J. Custy, Michael F. McHugh, Michael J. Fay, Joseph Hebert, Joseph S. Cliff, William J. Kerr, James Leach, Dennis Crowley, Peter Mullahan, Edward McGauvran, Peter J. McGauvran, Frederick J. Thorpe, John H. Kennedy, John S. Stratton, John P. McDonald, Robert M. Ardell, Joseph A. Plon, Cornelius J. Monahan, Jeremiah Murphy, Clyde M. Whitten, James Barrett, John Barrett, Joseph F. Convery, Louis Titro, Philip H. Haby, Patrick Cogger, Robert L. Stevens, Albert J. Warren, Edward H. Donovan, Frank H. Adams, John M. Farrell, John J. Ryan, John J. Burns, Frank E. Johnson, George E. Thorne, James M. Hancock, Frank A. Goss.

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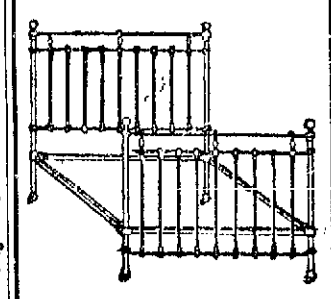

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Has Had Much Hospital Experience

Dr. Arthur K. Drake, of the State hospital at Tewksbury, was yesterday elected superintendent of the Lowell General hospital, at a meeting of the executive committee of the trustees held in the afternoon.

For the past three years Dr. Drake has been assistant superintendent of the State hospital and a very efficient official. He is 30 years of age, unmarried, a graduate of Harvard, and has had 10 years' hospital experience. He is well known here among the members of the medical fraternity, all of whom speak highly of him.

Dr. Drake will not only have general charge of the affairs of the hospital, but he will also direct the work of the Training school for nurses. He will give a regular series of lectures on the topic of benefit to nurses.

POWDER MAGAZINES

SITE NEAR CITY FARM VISITED YESTERDAY.

A sub-committee of the overseers of the poor, accompanied by Supt. Beals, visited the proposed site of the street department's powder magazine in the vicinity of the old rifle range, yesterday afternoon. The locality appears to be reasonably safe for a magazine. No action was taken.

41 NAMES

ADDED TO VOTING LIST BY REGISTRARS.

The registration at City Hall yesterday resulted in the placing of forty-one new names on the voting lists. The registration by wards was as follows: Ward one, 4; Ward two, 7; Ward three, 4; Ward four, 4; Ward five, 4; Ward six, 4; Ward seven, 4; Ward eight, 1; Ward nine, 9. Total 41. This makes six less than Wednesday. The hours of registration today will be from 2 o'clock until 3 and from 7 until 8.

100,000 MEN

CANADA PLANS TO HAVE STRONG ARMY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 9.—Sir Frederick Borden, minister of militia and defense in the house yesterday on a vote of $1,300,000 for arms and equipment, said that it was intended to have a force of 100,000 to be called on in case of emergency. Of these 40 per cent. will be enlisted at once and nearly one half will be called upon for annual drill. The other 60 per cent. will be supplied with arms and ammunition and will be ready in case of trouble.

All the officers and non-commissioned officers will have to turn out for annual drill. The ordnance corps, an engineer corps and a mounted corps will be established at once.

LAID ON TABLE

Order to Build New York Street Bridge

HELD BACK IN THE STREET COMMITTEE

Committee Gone to Inspect Bridges

The committee on streets had a tour of inspection yesterday afternoon with a meeting at City Hall in the evening.

Little business of importance came up and the session was a brief one.

On the petition for sidewalks on Puffer and B streets the committee recommended leave to withdraw, but sidewalks were recommended on C and Lincoln streets.

The petition for a sidewalk on Vernon street was referred to the city engineer as it involves the cutting down of a large tree and the lowering of a grade.

On motion of Councilman Fleming the petition for the paving of Hampshire street with tar macadam was taken from the table. The estimate for the work is $13,286. He moved that it be recommended and the motion was passed.

Councilman Foulaine, as a sub committee on New York street, reported that a $1000 bond had been given by August Fels and D. J. Murphy, binding them to put the street to grade if the city would build a bridge for them across Beaver Brook.

Councilman Braden asked whether, if a new Pawtucket bridge was built, a span of the present structure could be used for Beaver brook.

The city engineer replied that the span would be too long, and could not be used for a 40-foot bridge. Pawtucket bridge might be utilized for a narrower country bridge, and could be sold as such, but that was all.

The estimate for the Beaver brook bridge is $27,000. Alderman Molloy moved that it be recommended. Upon amendment of Councilman Greenwood it was voted to lay the matter upon the table. Messrs. Molloy and Roche opposed.

The committee voted to go to Boston today to inspect bridges, as the guests of a bridge contractor, who has patented a new kind of steel and concrete bridge, which is said to combine the good qualities of stone and iron at a less expense.

City Engineer Bowers gave a report on the proposed extension of Fifth avenue. The cost of the land taken would be $7315, the owners not desiring the extension of the avenue at this time.

It was voted to call for an estimate for the whole cost of the work.

The committee adjourned to Monday night.

BODY IDENTIFIED

PATRICK CUFF DIED EIGHT DAYS AGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WINOOSKI, Vt., Oct. 9.—A body which for eight days has been lying unclaimed and unrecognized in the morgue of a local undertaker has been identified as that of Patrick Cuff, of Providence, R. I. Relatives in that city will send funds to defray the expenses of the burial of the man. The identification was made by the man's sister, Miss Mary Cuff, who came here to visit her brother, not having heard of his death. She left town almost immediately after identifying the body, and the officials here then communicated with other relatives in Providence.

$10,000 DAMAGE

Caused by Water at Boston Fire

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—In extinguishing a fire which of itself caused a loss of but $5, in the Ruse, Ingalls and Eveleth Manufacturing plant on Bedford street last night, damage estimated at $10,000 was caused by a deluge of water from automatic sprinklers.

In addition to Ruse, Ingalls and Eveleth the building was occupied by the J. H. North company, dealers in hats, caps and gloves. The loss is about equally divided between the occupants.

CHESTER GOODWIN

WON HIS MATCH WITH BILLY SYNOTT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Oct. 9—Chester Goodwin of Chelsea won over Billy Synott of Fall River last night, in the 12th round, within 15 seconds of the time limit of the contest. Synott was game, but Goodwin was his master at all styles of fighting and gave Synott quite a gruelling.

In the preliminaries Swords of Fall River won from Lew Dockstader of Camden, N. Y., and Bobby Tickle and Young Campbell went six rounds to a draw.

You can't expect to weave white satin with blackened hands, any more than you can expect good results from papers with a bogus circulation.

WEDDING GIFT...

We suggest to you, if it is to be a chair or rocker, that you see the handsome styles shown in the willow.

A very comfortable and durable chair for a living room. Cushions covered with French tapestries or cretonnes.

Adams & Co.,

Furniture and Carpets

174 CENTRAL ST.

Appleton Bank Block.

RIFLE CONTEST

By Honorary Members of Company C

AT THE DRACUT RIFLE RANGE

Some Very Creditable Scores Made

The shoot of the honorary members of Co. C, M. V. M., was held yesterday afternoon at the Dracut rifle range, and proved to be a grand success, despite the rawness of the weather.

The crowd that gathered at the range included a number of leading men of this city and out of town military men, who are honorary members of the company and nothing but jollity and good fellowship reigned.

Many of the old timers were out of practice, but despite this the scores put up were good ones, the targets being 200 yards distant.

The scorers stationed at the shooting boxes were Corp. R. W. Eastman, Private R. J. Young, Musician M. J. Doyle, Privates C. J. Kelleher, G. D. Lindgren and William Dunfey.

Two strings of five shots each were shot by the competitors, the preliminary string placing the men in two classes, divided among those who shot over 18 and those whose score was under that number. Prizes were offered for the preliminaries, as well as for the two final classes.

The winners' prizes and final scores were as follows:

Preliminaries—Captain Livingston, lamp given by G. H. Wood, 20; Lieut. A. D. Colby, clock, 19; Sergt. Alex Peters, chocolate pot, 19.

Second class—J. A. Williamson, military brushes, 21; W. Burnett, picture, 24; Jeremiah Murphy, stein, 22.

First class—Capt. O. M. Pratt, cup, 21.

Consolation prizes—P. C. Moore, stein, 21; Cyrus Barton, pitcher, 21; R. W. Ryan, tobacco jar, 20.

The number qualifying for the first class was so small that it was decided that but one prize would be offered in this class and that the others should be given as consolation prizes. Capt. Pratt was the successful man of the first class.

A large number of the men shot several strings outside of the shooting for prizes and excellent scores were made.

Mayor Howe made a score of 15 and Lieut. A. D. Colby scored 25 out of a possible 25 in a five-shot string. All shooting was interspersed with sociability and there was considerable bantering and joking about former days when the older members were more active in military circles and of the merry times at the encampment of the state militia.

Following the shooting a turkey supper was served in the hall after which there was speaking by a large number of the prominent older members. Col. R. S. Ripley was introduced by Capt. Kittredge as the toastmaster. Col. Ripley called upon Edwards Cheney as the representative of the mayor, who had left before the banquet, and Mr. Cheney spoke in an interesting manner on military matters and social affairs connected with the company.

Police Commissioner Pearson was then called upon and congratulated the members on the success of the event. He, too, went into the history of the company, stating that its organization dated back before the incorporation of the city of Lowell, 1826. Capt. Kimball, William Decatur, Capt. Pratt, City Clerk Dadman, E. L. Weaver, Lieut. Keyes, Charles Frost and others were called upon. For the press, Lawrence Cummings, Edgar M. Hill, C. Frederick Goldthwaite and Willis Ream were called upon and each spoke briefly. Fire Chief Hesseer was called and made a few interesting remarks.

Much of the success of the event is due to the efforts of Capt. Kittredge, and the lieutenants and non-commissioned officers who assisted.

SENT TO JAIL

COLORED MEN DISTURBED A MEETING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Granville Martin and William M. Trotter, the two colored men found guilty of disturbing a meeting in the Columbus avenue church when Booker T. Washington was present, were yesterday sentenced by Judge Sherman in the superior criminal court to serve 30 days in jail.

ON THE ALLEYS

PASTIMES DEFEATED BY THE BELVIDERES.

The Belvideres of this city defeated the Pastimes of Nashua on Los Miserables alleys last night in a duck pin game. The local aggregation lost the first string, but the second and third they won by good margins. Bowen of the winning team was high man with a three-string total of 273.

The score:

Belvideres—Cole 237, Queenan 258, Bowen 273, Fullerton 237, King 261; totals 1306.

Pastimes—Towkslowy 259, Wheeler 237, Ward 215, McQuestion 239, Mason 257; totals 1208.

HIGH ROLLERS DOWNED.

The clerks of the Boston & Maine railroad defeated the High Rollers in a game of duck pins last night. The score:

Boston & Maine Clerks—Paradis 224, Carr 278, Cowgeshall 223, Shay, 274, Edgell 249; totals 1167.

High Rollers—Richardson 270, Snowman 225, Roy 244, 240, McDonald 230, Stearns 216; totals 1225.

SOCIAL AND DANCE

UNDER AUSPICES OF LINCOLN CLUB.

The Lincoln club held a pleasant social and dance in Associate hall last evening, which was attended by about 100 couples. The evening was passed in a most delightful manner by those in attendance. The Appalachian orchestra furnished music for the dancers. The hall was decorated in an attractive manner with settings of palms and potted plants about the stage and other adornments in different parts of the hall.

The general manager was Clarence Baker. He was assisted by Z. A. Patnaude as floor director and members of the club acted as aids.

THE BIG BARGAIN SHOE STORE

39c Children's Jersey Leggins, all button, knee high, sizes 5 to 10, manufactured to sell for 50c. Our price **39c**

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Nos. 119 and 121 Merrimack Street, Lowell, Mass.

LADIES' BLACK FELT SLIPPERS—plush trimmed, flannel lined, other stores ask 50c. Our price **39c**

LADIES' UP-TO-DATE RUBBERS—first quality, Hood make, regular price 50c. Our price **29c**

LADIES' LAMB WOOL SOLES—regular price 19c. Our price **15c**

LADIES' PATENT AND KID ONE STRAP DANCING SLIPPERS—sizes 2½ to 7, regular price $1.00. Our price **69c**

MISSES' BOX CALF SCHOOL SHOES—leather lined, sizes 12 to 2, made with low heel and solid leather soles, regular price $1.50. Our price **$1.19**

CHILDREN'S BOX CALF SCHOOL SHOES—made with heavy soles, sizes 9 to 11, regular price 65c. Our price **49c**

CHILDREN'S DONGOLA KID SHOES made with heavy soles, lace only, sizes 5 to 8, regular 50c shoes. Our price **39c**

LITTLE GENT'S SATIN CALF SCHOOL SHOES made with low heels and solid leather soles, regular price 89c. Our price **69c**

YOUTHS' "NO RIP" SCHOOL SHOES—sizes 8½ to 2, solid leather soles and heels, sold everywhere for $1.25. Our price **98c**

Boys' sizes 2½ to 5, $1.19.

YOUTHS' OIL GRAIN "NON-RIP" SCHOOL SHOES all solid, warranted not to rip, sizes 12 to 2, made to sell for $1.00. Our price **69c**

MEN'S $3.00 WARRANTED BOX CALF ENAMEL SHOES—We give you a new pair for every pair that breaks. All hand sewed. Our price **$2.29**

MEN'S FELT SHOES—felt soles, warm lined, later in the season everybody will ask you $1.50 and $2.00. Our price **$1.19**

19c Ladies' 10-Button Overgaiters—sizes 3 to 8. Later in the season other dealers will ask you 29c. Our price **19c**

We Repair Shoes as They Ought to be Repaired—Strictly Hand Work

Clothing Facts From The . . . . . **Merrimack**

And the———————o

Importance of Being Well Dressed

There is no longer any excuse for business men not dressing up-to-date. It is neither good business nor good taste, and a business man who does not recognize this fact is at least exercising very poor judgment. He errs just in the same way that many a new housewife does, who thinks that after she gets married and takes up household duties, she need have no further concern about her appearance, when as a matter of fact, she ought to be as careful about these things after marriage as before. It would have a salutary effect upon her husband. And so it is with the business man of today who approaches you upon any business proposition, who is not dressed neatly and in fashion, his wares are at a disadvantage.

Business suits should be neat, not over stylish, they can be well fitted, but not over expensive. You can no longer claim that you have not time to go to the tailor, you can come into the Merrimack and get a hand-finished suit to please any taste, to fit any figure from $15 upwards, and good ones for less than that price—but our hand finished ones begin at $15, and when they cost more than that, the difference comes in finer material and extra workmanship.

We would thank you to study the prices and the descriptions of the garments mentioned below. We would ask you to bear in mind that any garment bought here is not yours until you are satisfied, that we will keep them pressed for you while they last, and that any garment that does not prove satisfactory will be replaced. Can anything be fairer?

Hand Finished Suits

$15

With the arrival of a couple styles yesterday, the fifteen dollar line of hand-finished fall suits is complete.

Thirty-five styles in all—young men's and men's—to pick from in this line at $15.00.

Shuman's and "Eff Eff" models—the Princeton, Smartsac and Gramercy—give variety to the makes. Coats have broad shoulders, easy fitting backs and short skirts. The collars and shoulders are about perfect—hand tailoring is responsible for it.

About every fabric style is included in the assortment—Black Thibet and worsted cheviots, plain mixed cassimeres in neat effects, and bright Scotch mixtures, so popular with the younger fellows this season—all tastes are catered to in the $15.00 line, the biggest and most worthy shown by any house.

The Merrimack originated the hand-finished feature in $15.00 suits and top coats in Lowell, and has always given prominence to garments at this price. We say, buy a fifteen dollar suit if you can afford it—it's economy for you—at no less price can you get so much for your money.

Better cloths and more expert making in the finer ones, of course—nobby, exclusive styles at $18.00, $20.00, $22.00, $23.00, $25.00 and $28.00.

High Grade Top Coats

$20

Our finest top coats are now $20.00. Covert cloths and Venetians of splendid weight—can be worn for four weeks yet—in olive, tan and oxford shades.

They're strictly "jour." tailored; the collar, shoulders and lapels are padded and felled by hand, and the buttonholes are hand sewn, quite an addition to the cost of making, but more than worth it in service.

They're cut 32 and 34 inches long, broad chested, fit the collar snugly, and hang loosely from the shoulders.

Many in the line; the silk lined garments—were priced at $25.00.

They're excellent values at $20.00.

A Worthy Rain Coat

All Wool and Well Tailored

$10

A low price for such a garment when you consider the length.

It's all wool—in an olive shade of covert cloth—cut 52 inches long, has broad shoulders, satin lined, and will shed rain.

The ten dollar price is unusual for such a coat—it's worth two dollars more.

Sterling Values in Clothes for Boys

Honest fabrics and excellent tailoring combine to produce clothes that wear and hold their shape.

Double Breast and Norfolk Suits

The jacket suit—plain, double breasted or single breasted Norfolk—is the popular boys' suit for fall.

They can be had here as low as $2.00 for either style and you can pay as high as $7.00.

The best showing is at $5.00—these are from our best makers—which means that the fit and the making are the best produced in America.

These $5.00 suits are made of sturdy materials—worsted cheviots, fancy cheviots and double-and-twist cassimeres—that keep the active boy guessing to wear them out.

There are eight styles at this price to choose from—all pure wool or wool and worsted.

Three-Piece Suits for boys 10 to 17 years, in plain colors and fancy mixtures, $5.00, $6.00, $7.50 and $10.00.

Sailor Suits, including the new double breasted sailor with eton collar—made from plain serges and undressed worsteds, in blue, royal, red and brown, at $3.00, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

Russian Suits, in similar cloths, for little fellows 2½ years to 6—a choice showing of new styles, at $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

The new Overcoats are ready.

Merrimack Clothes are Carefully Fitted and Altered Where Necessary by Jour. Tailors Before the Sale, and Are Kept Pressed Free After, at Customers' Pleasure.

The Merrimack Clothing Company...

Tailored Clothes for Men and Women—Across from City Hall

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PREPARATION

Cold winds will soon be blowing. The birds have already taken their way towards southern homes. Nature is putting on the garb of autumn and everything speaks of the coming winter. If men and women put off buying until need time came everybody would be overwhelmed, nothing could be properly done. Why not prepare for the time that is coming and visit The Bon Marche today or tomorrow. The stocks are bright and glittering. Few things from the four corners of the earth are here on review, and you cannot find a better time in the whole season to lay in your winter supply than RIGHT NOW. Read over this list of attractions and see if some one of them hasn't the necessary compelling influence to turn your steps hitherward.

Trimmed Hats

AT $2.98

This stylish Hat is on the tailored order. The foundation is of pure white Scotch felt, bound with a stitched band of silk. The bell crown is surrounded by a wreath of snowy coquetitfts. A smart velvet bow relieves the left side.

AT $3.98

The popular champagne shade. The brim is bound with stitched silk. Wings in brown and white are caught to the top with a large bow of [illegible] ribbon in a most attractive manner.

AT $4.98

The foundation of this Hat is of taffeta silk in folds. The bell crown is surrounded by a wreath of black chenille pompons. Silk ribbon forms a smart bow at the side. A large square jet buckle finishes the back.

AT $5.98

This graceful shape is developed in oxford grey felt. The wide brim is rolled high at the left side. Many loops of narrow black satin ribbon form a band around the crown. The two plumes are finished with jet quill ends.

Zibeline Walking Suit

$15.98

Satin lined blouse skirted coat with box plaited back, deep shoulder, cape in the new pointed effect, with other trimmings of piped taffeta and buttons. The skirt is a 9-gored flare, tailor finish (blue only.)

A Steel Costume

$18.98

A copy of a high priced suit. Very fine mixtures. Coat is made with belted half fitted back and box front. Large mutton leg sleeves. Gauntlet cuffs. Steel ornament trimmings front and back. Guaranteed satin lining. Seven gored flare skirt with welted seams. Look at costumes five or six dollars higher in price, then compare with this one.

English Covert Suit

$22.50

All wool English covert (tan color), deep skirted blouse, with sailor stitched strapping front and back. New bishop sleeves, lining of fine satin, skirt full gored flare with trimmings to match coat.

A Dress Suit

$27.50

All wool Lymansville cheviot, side plaited Russian blouse jacket, collarless effect, with scalloped cape. Cape has trimmings of fancy braid, taffeta silk lining. Coat opens to show vest which has trimmings of black and red on bands of white embroidery. The skirt is made to conform to the fashion of the coat.

New and Unique Premiums to Arrive

Thousands of articles suitable for Christmas gifts. We have recently placed orders for the finest and largest line of premiums ever offered by a trading stamp concern. This line will commence to arrive at our stores within a few weeks, and will be complete by the latter part of November.

If you expend a reasonable amount of energy between now and Christmas time, you can fill many books with "Sperry & Hutchinson" Green Trading Stamps. Through them

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Waists and Silk Petticoats

Shirt Waists

FANCY CHEVIOT WAISTS, 98c each—White, front composed of six deep tucks and two large medallions, French back, large sleeves.

ZIBELINE WAISTS, $1.25 each—Grey, full front of six tucks and fancy black buttons, plain back, new sleeves and fancy stock.

STRIPED CHEVIOT WAISTS, $1.49 each—Has black dots, tucked front, trimmed with large fancy buttons, French back, 2 in. cuff and new stock.

SCOTCH FLANNEL WAISTS, $1.98 each—Fancy effects, full front, French back, large sleeves, and fancy stock.

Charming Silk Petticoats

We select three numbers for publicity, not because they are the best numbers we have in stock, but because they are the most representative styles we could select. We would like to have you examine this assemblage of stylish garments. We know the reasonableness of the prices garments. We know the reasonableness of the prices will appeal to your sense of thrift even as their beauty will call forth your words of praise.

NO. 1, TAFFETA SILK PETTICOAT, $4.98—Black only, good quality Taffeta, flounce composed of 3-5 in. ruffles and deep hem, also dust ruffle; all sizes up to 41 in.

NO. 2, CHANGEABLE SILK PETTICOAT, $5.98—Good quality silk, 10 in. flounce with three strapped circulars; green, red, blue and grey; changeable and black.

NO. 3, COLORED SILK PETTICOATS, $6.98—Extra heavy quality silk, 16 in. flounce with three deep circulars, balance of flounce finished with eight rows of hemstitching, also dust ruffle.

$8.00 WORTH OF STAMPS WITH EVERY DOLLAR PURCHASE OF

Ingalls' Laundry Goods

'Tis done simply to introduce a splendid laundry article. Makes ironing a pleasure. Keeps the irons smooth and gives a fine finish to the garments.

DEMONSTRATION IN THE BASEMENT.

Dress Trimmings

'Tis well nigh impossible in these columns to give any adequate idea of the beauty of these assortments. They have been selected with the greatest care and we can assure our public that they will find upon our shelves all the wantable things in vogue this coming autumn season. Just a few hints regarding styles and prices.

WOOD SILK BRAIDS, 8c to $2.00 yard—In plain and openwork designs, plain and fancy edges, narrow and wide, black and colors. We carry over 100 styles of this swell trimming, for it is "the" thing this fall.

APPLIQUES, 25c to $4.00 yard—The colorings are exquisite; Rosebud designs that rival their prototypes in beauty, Leaf and Vine patterns that are striking copies of the natural, Medallions, Persians, effects that make you clutch your pocketbook tight if they are beyond your limit in price; all in all the handsomest line we have ever shown.

BLACK SPANGLED TRIMMINGS, 50c to $5.00 yard—Bands, medallions, ornaments, edges and all-over effects.

BLACK SILK FRINGES, 39c to $2.00 yard.

HAND TRIMMINGS, 12½c to $2.00 yard—Black and fancy colors.

ORNAMENTS, 10c to $1.00 each—Black, white and colors, plain and fringe effects.

FUR TRIMMINGS, 12½c to $2.00 yard—Coney, Beaver, Nutria, Bear, Sable, Opossum, Pink, Imitation Ermine, White Lamp, Grey Crimmer, Squirrel, Chinchilla, Swansdown, Fur Heads, Tails, etc.

FALL SHOWING OF . . . . .

Dress Goods and Silks

CAMEL'S HAIR CLOTH, 49c yard—38 in. wide, all colors.

GRANITE CLOTH, 59c yard—44 in. wide, all the new shades.

ENGLISH SUITINGS, $1.00 yard—60 in. wide, "broken stripes."

PARISIAN SUITINGS, $1.50 yard—56 in. wide, block plaids in blue and white and black and white.

PRIESTLEY'S CRAVENETTES, $2.00 yard—60 in. wide, absolutely water proof, sponged and shrunk, dark Oxfords and browns.

GERMAN NOVELTIES, $1.00 yard—56 in. wide, extra heavy.

CAMEL'S HAIR CLOTH, $1.00 yard—52 in. wide, panne finish, in blue, brown and green.

COVERT CLOTH, $1.00 yard—52 in. wide, browns and tans, a splendid material for long coats.

FINETTA, 89c yard—44 in. wide, in blues, browns, greens, modes and black.

CAMEL'S HAIR BOUCLE, $1.50 yard—56 in. wide.

BLACK TAFFETA SILK, 69c yard—It is 27 in. wide, full lustre, guaranteed wear. A silk that should and does sell for 89c yard, except on special occasions. This is one of the special occasions, so we have marked it 69c yard. Think of it! A saving of 20c a yard. A splendid thing for Shirt Waist Suits. (Note the width.)

BLACK PEAU DE SOIE SILK, 69c yard—And usually sells for the same price as the Taffeta (89c yard). It is a very soft finish and double face. The width is 21 inches.

HEAVY GRANITE SUITING, 75c yard—It is 50 in. wide and readily sells for 98c yard, but for this sale we have marked it at above price. The colors are black and white and blue and white.

HEAVY MELTON, $1.00 yard. It is 56 in. wide, strictly all wool, beautifully finished, and comes in all the wantable shades, such as brown, navy and dark medium and light greys. The regular price on this material is $1.25 per yard.

The Shoe Dept.

Is richer by a "bran-nu" line of Women's Shoes. They were made by one of the best known makers of footwear in this country. Every pair bears the indelible stamp of worthiness and our guarantee accompanies every pair that leaves our store. They are a popular price and are made upon new and up-to-date lasts. The styles are **Lace and Button in Vici Kid, Dongola and Box Calf, either Patent Leather or self Tips; some have heavy soles for street wear, others lighter soles for dress occasions.**

You can't go wrong if you invest in a pair of "The Bon Marche" (that's their brand) Shoes. The price **$2.00 PAIR**

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and enter in. It may surprise you. It has a great many. You can get on the elevator and it will take you right up to as charming a place as you'll find in a week's travel. We make all kinds of pictures, and we guarantee satisfaction in every way. We finish amateur work and our prices are very reasonable. We take the picture of invalids in their homes, also all sorts of interiors, etc., and our rates will make you more than satisfied.

DON'T MISS THESE GOOD THINGS IN THE

Jewelry Section

PEARL BELT BROOCHES, 25c each—In oval, square, round and heart shaped; plain and carved. These are an odd lot we picked up very cheap, some of them are worth $1.00 while none in the lot sold for less than 50c.

LOCKETS, 50c each—Gold with fancy stone settings. Just the idea for a bead chain.

BEAD CHAINS, 50c each—Lorgnette length, a leading novelty. We secured 6 gross at an unheard-of price. Some are worth $1.50, some $1.00. We put them on sale this morning at above price.

HAT PINS, 7c each—In Silver, Gun Metal Oxodized, Royal Copper, and Gilt. Every pin is worth and has always sold for 25c.

TWELVE STRONG ITEMS

In Domestics

BLEACHED SHEETS, Each 39c—Size 72x90, good cotton; 50c would be the proper price.

SKIRT PATTERNS, Each 23c—Plain and Fancy Flannelettes.

FACE CLOTHS, Each 2c Turkish—5c value.

TOWELS, Each 10c—Huckabuck—size 19x41 (please note the size), always 12½c each.

COMFORTERS, Each 98c—Full size, filled with pure white cotton. $1.25 would be a reasonable price.

DOMET FLANNEL, Yard 3½c—White, good width always 5c yard.

DIAPER CLOTH, Piece 39c—18 inches wide, slightly imperfect. Perfect goods, sell at 65c piece.

BERKSHIRE PLAIDS, Yard 12½c—Best quality, excellent for school dresses.

BLANKETS, Pair 49c—10x4, white, grey or tan, all perfect.

HANDKERCHIEFS, Each 2c—Women's hemstitched. A big bargain.

BATH ROBE BLANKETS, Each $2.39—31 styles and colorings, a leader at above price.

SASH CURTAINS, Pair 25c—All made, ready to put up, full yard long, stripes and dots.

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Something for That

Sweet Tooth

SAINT NICHOLAS CHOCOLATES, 14c lb.—Pure and fresh. Regularly 20c lb.

SADIE MAC WON

Smathers' Horse Took Kentucky Futurity

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 9—Sadie Mac., E. E. Smathers' recent purchase, yesterday won the historic Kentucky futurity for 3 year olds, without apparent effort in three straight heats, going the last mile in 2.12 3-4, which is two seconds short of the record made by Fereno, three years ago. She won by several lengths in each heat and only at one time was she in danger and that was in the first seven eighths of the first mile, when Ethel's Pride kept nose to nose with her. Ethel's Pride, however, broke and finished bad in all three heats. The two mares made the first quarter in 32 seconds.

The pure gaited little trotter with frictionless mechanism utilized every movement of her body in shortening the distance between her and the goal. Every muscle that she brought into play counted for time and distance. The track was lumpy and dump and tally three seconds slow when the starters in the Tennessee stake were called at 2 o'clock.

Sunshine and harrows had gotten the track into a little better shape by the time the futurity was called. Among 5000 people who saw Sadie Mac take the first money was Mr. Johnson, of Calais, Me., who sold her as a yearling for $1000.

Her driver, Ar. McDonald, sold her to Mr. Smathers Tuesday for $20,000.

Baron Gale, Katherine A., and Lizzie A., won second, third and fourth, respectively.

Grace Bond, favorite for second place, won the two year old futurity in straight heats, going the first heat in 2.17 3-4, three and three quarters seconds short of the record made by Katherine A., last year.

Nervola won the Tennessee 2.08 pacing race in three heats and the operators, were in many cases, so chilled and weak that they could scarcely stand after leaving their machines.

TOOK HIS CLOTHES

NASHUA MAN FELL INTO HANDS OF ROBBERS.

Charles O'Neil of Nashua came to Lowell recently and when he returned to his own fireside it was found that his wearing apparel, including his shoes and necktie, had been changed for ones that were almost worthless. He was half-starved and weary when he got home.

DIVORCE GRANTED

TO WIFE OF ABSCONDING TREASURER ALLEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Judge Grant of the probate court, yesterday, granted the petition of Mrs. Adaline A. Allen, asking for a decree that will permit her to live apart from her husband, Willard S. Allen, the absconding treasurer of the Preachers' Aid society.

She alleged that she was the lawful wife of Allen and that he had failed to furnish her with suitable support, having deserted her without cause and that she, for justifiable cause, was living apart from him. She named three children, Chester W., Mary A., and Clara Allen.

She asserted she wanted to be relieved of coverture so as to enable her to dispose of her real and personal property without her husband's consent.

There was no opposition to the granting of the petition, so it was allowed. Mrs. Allen may sell the house in Lexington street and any other property coming to her by reason of her marriage.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.43	6.50	6.60	7.07
6.22	7.40	6.30	7.26
s6.38	7.30	7.54	8.54
6.42	7.53	8.25	9.01
e7.01	8.52	e9.00	9.38
es7.24	8.10	9.29	9.57
7.31	8.50	e10.00	10.37
7.45	8.35	10.17	11.34
8.50	9.40	e11.30	12.07
9.40	10.40	12.00	12.56
11.00	12.03	e1.00	1.38
es11.43	12.25	1.15	1.52
s12.14	1.00	2.00	3.01
1.40	2.50	s3.00	3.38
es1.56	2.30	3.47	5.00
3.03	4.20	4.14	5.30
es3.47	4.30	e5.00	5.38
4.02	4.45	5.38	6.26
4.25	5.30	5.47	6.54
s5.22	6.15	6.34	7.27
5.44	7.10	e7.30	8.08
es6.22	7.05	e8.30	9.08
s7.19	8.00	10.30	11.34
8.43	9.38	11.20	12.22

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
9.00	9.54	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.30	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.02	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.38	4.55
2.30	3.44	4.25	5.45
3.10	4.10	4.50	6.20
3.55	5.04	6.04	7.05
5.00	6.43	6.35	7.48
6.15	7.15	9.30	10.40
7.00	8.06	H11.15	12.15
9.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	8.37
12.05	1.26	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	8.25
5.30	6.55	8.40	9.40
8.45	9.45		

SUNDAY TRAINS

s6.39	7.30	9.00	10.07
7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.40	5.00	5.58
9.20	10.12	e7.30	8.08
s4.23	5.30	e8.30	9.08
s5.56	7.00	9.00	10.07

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AT THE CASTO.

Especial care is taken in the selection of each program at the Casto theatre that there is something which will please the children. Every Saturday afternoon sees the Casto crowded with the school children, for like their elders they know that at the Casto they can secure a very pleasant two hours' enjoyment. For this week the program headed by Edward M. Favor and Edith Sinclair in their merry comedy, "The McGuires," contains some of the best acts in the vaudeville world, and they are sure to please the children. Tomorrow evening is the last performance for this show and reserved seats should be secured in order to avoid the crowd. These may be obtained at the box office from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. or by calling telephone 816-3.

CAPT. FRANK DEAD

WAS FORMER PRESIDENT OF ROYAL GARRISON BAND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 9.—Ft. C. Franks, captain and adjutant of the Royal garrison regiment, died here last night. He was 41 years of age, had seen 17 years' service and was a popular officer. He was band president of the Royal garrison regimental band, now at Boston, previous to Capt. Sampson being appointed to that position, and was a favorite with the members of the band. He will be buried with full military honors Saturday. He was a son of Gen. Franks of the British army. He served with distinction with the frontier forces on the west coast of Africa from 1887 to 1888 and was mentioned in dispatches.

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AT REGISTRATION

Democrats Started It Yesterday

WILL BOOM FROM NOW UNTIL CLOSE

Two Big Democratic Rallies Coming

The democratic city committee started registration at full blast yesterday afternoon, and from 1 to 3 o'clock while the registrars' office was open, the lower corridors of City hall contained quite a gathering, while the clarion voice of Assessor Mahoney rang out from the assessors' office as he piled his questions to applicants for tax bills.

Several of the democratic candidates were present at City hall during the session of registration, and all were most hopeful of a big democratic registration.

Chairman Quinn of the democratic city committee yesterday received a communication from the state central committee inviting him to select a date for a big rally as soon as possible so that the best speakers may be sent to Lowell. Chairman Quinn informed The Sun reporter that it is the intention of the city committee to hold two big rallies in this city before state election, while it is probable that the senatorial and representative candidates will have district or ward rallies.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At a meeting of the Y. M. C. I. of Belvidere, last evening, plans were made for a social to be held in Huntington hall, Thanksgiving evening, and a committee of twenty was appointed as follows:—

Geo. Clark, Harry Finley, Howard Wood, Patrick Mooney, Eugene Sullivan, Benjamin McMinimin, John Green, Joseph McCarron, Edward Quinlan, Charles Burns, Berl Burnham, Anthony Doyle, Arthur T. McQuade, John F. Martin, Edward F. Shea, Robert Whalen, Thomas Kelley, Wm. Clark, A. M. Rouillree, John X. Payne, Daniel A. McQuade, Thomas A'Hearn, Joseph Courtney, Arthur J. McQuade.

At the last regular meeting of Lowell Commandery, Knights of Malta, the black degree was conferred upon five candidates. One applicant was elected to membership. The committee on whist party was empowered to make that event a mixed party instead of a gentleman's party as originally projected. Preliminary arrangements were made for a visit to Newburyport Nov. 5, at which time the Lowell staff will work the Red Cross on the occasion of the institution of a new commandery in that city.

The regular session of Merrimack Valley Lodge, I. O. O. F. M. U., was held last evening at the lodge rooms with a large attendance. One application for membership was received. The lodge will hold its eleventh anniversary Thursday evening, Oct. 22. Essex lodge of Lawrence has been invited.

Refreshments will be served and a musical program given.

The regular meeting of Washington Commandery, United Order of the Golden Cross, was held last night and was very largely attended. One candidate was initiated. Plans for the proper observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the order were discussed, and among other things it was voted to invite the brother members of seven commanderies to participate in the ceremonies. An excursion for the members of the order will be held in the near future. The proper negotiations for the payment of a death claim of $2000 were made.

The Pilgrim Fathers of the Bay State Colony had an installation of officers last night.

Governor Shannon was in the chair and had charge of the business meeting. The following officers were elected: Governor, James Taylor; lieutenant governor, Ella Murphy; secretary, Jonathan Webster; treasurer, Dennis Dilsworth; collector, Charles W. Matherson; chaplain, Martha Mott; sergeant-at-arms, Solomon McAlpin; deputy sergeant-at-arms, Mr. Coolidge; sentry of the inner gate, Pilgrim Warren; sentry of the outer gate, Pilgrim Abbott; pianist, Miss Johnson; trustee for three years, Pilgrim Warren.

The installation service was performed by Deputy Supreme Bugbee of Lawrence. The dinner was served under the direction of Pilgrim Lady Taylor and staff.

The retiring governor was quite surprised by his friends by being presented with an ex-governor's jewel. Mr. Bugbee made the presentation speech, which was fittingly answered by the recipient of the gift.

A good time of song followed the dinner. One of the features of the evening was a speech by retiring sergeant-at-arms Wilbur.

The Solon W. Stevens Debating society held a well attended meeting last night, discussing the subject: "Is Marriage a Failure?" A good debate has been arranged for October 22.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column

THE HONOURABLES

GIVEN RECEPTION IN MADISON SQUARE GARDEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—Last night the Honourables were given a reception at the Old Guard fair in Madison Square Garden by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston, with other local and visiting military organizations.

Besides the London and Boston companies there were present 40 members of the Newport Artillery, accompanied by the band of the Seventh Artillery Corps, stationed at Fort Adams, Newport, R. I., and ninety men of the Ninth regiment, New York National Guard. The most picturesque of all the citizen soldiery there were the Minute Men of Washington.

The Honourables and Ancients began to arrive at the garden about 9 o'clock after they had been given a banquet at the Waldorf-Astoria by George G. Boldt.

Col. Hedges, commander of the Boston Ancients, and Adjutant General Dalton of the staff of Gov. Bates of Massachusetts, arrived with the majority of the company from Boston about 10 o'clock and were shown around the booths by Major Briggs of the Old Guard. Soon after, the Earl of Denbigh, with Lady Denbigh and Sir Thomas Lipton came in and made a tour of all the attractions and then went to a theatre.

CAPT. BARTHOLOMEW DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 9.—Captain Perry Bartholomew, treasurer and paymaster of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, who has been ill for some time with lung trouble, died at his home here yesterday.

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JOHN M. FARRELL, Auctioneer

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Heirs' Sale of Real Estate at Public Auction

SATURDAY, Oct. 10, 1903, at 2 P. M.

RAIN OR SHINE

By consent of the heirs of the late Thomas Gallagher, I will sell to the highest bidder, the eight room house and about 3623 square feet of land, more or less, situated on the southerly side of West Sixth street, No. 152.

This house was built of the very best material and great pains was taken to have a very comfortable home. It has three very pleasant chambers up stairs, large hall, parlor, sitting room, dining room, sewing room, kitchen, bath room with hot and cold water; all lighted with gas, with pretty gas fixtures in every room. Has a high posted, well lighted cellar, with cemented bottom; water closets, sewer, and everything that a person would wish in a home.

The house is 1½ story, with bay window, set up well from the street, with piazza on the side that leads to a very pretty garden, with grass lawn, set out with pear, plum, apple, cherry, and peach trees; grape vine trails over shed in rear, also shrubs, etc. Has concrete walks, sidewalks and edge stones all in, is well fenced. In fact there is not one thing to be done to this place that could improve it.

As this is an heir sale to settle this estate, it is a positive sale, and I invite the public to attend.

TERMS: $200 must be paid to the auctioneer at time and place of sale. Other terms made known at sale.

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HIGH GRADE SUITS

In fine imported and domestic Scotches, worsted cheviots, fancy worsteds and cassimere suits, with lots of style, and suits in quiet mixtures. All elegantly made and trimmed. A great line at **$20**

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Our great popular line of business suits. All the new fabrics in the leading patterns are shown in this line cut in the "Student," "Varsity," and "Double Breast" style. A great showing of the nobbiest suits from our own workrooms and other high grade makers at **$15**

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Made from strictly all wool materials. Cut on the same patterns as the better grades. Made carefully and thoroughly. Suits that can be depended upon for good solid service. A great line of fancy mixtures at **$10**

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BLACK SUITS

In both single and double breast sack, and in the cutaway, and Prince Albert frock in cheviots, Vicunas, undressed worsteds, and clays. Suits suitable for business and semi-dressy wear. Made as all our clothing is made, just as good as it can be. We show a large attractive line of black suits at **$15**

Others at $10, $12, $18 and $20.

Top Coats

in olive, tan, oxford and dark gray coverts, cheviots and fancy worsteds, cut short box or knee length. Coats with lots of style and go about them, and coats for more conservative dressers. A big line at - - - - - - - - **$15**

Others at $8, $10, $12, $18, $20

Rain Coats

the popular all around garment, thoroughly water proof and suitable for rain or shine. Our Rain Coats are cut long and full, big, roomy garments. We show them in plain black, dark fancy worsteds, and fancy Scotch mixtures, in a big variety of patterns, at - - - - - - - - - - **$15**

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SUN LATEST

FIVE O'CLOCK

IN POLICE COURT

Man Who Sold Diseased Horse

HAD HIS CASE CONTINUED ONE WEEK

Man Assaulted in Sterling Mill

The case of Lester S. Franklin of Chelmsford, who is charged with selling a horse afflicted with the glanders, a contagious disease, came up on continuance in police court this forenoon and was again continued. A man in Methuen bought the horse that Franklin sold and the man contracted the disease.

STRUCK WITH STEEL ROLLER.

There was the least bit of trouble in the Sterling mill in Lawrence street a few days ago and as a result of that trouble William P. Hennessey got a black eye and a swollen face. He said the overseer, William H. Holgate, did it. He said he struck him with a steel roller but Mr. Holgate says he didn't. They both told their stories to Judge Pickman today. Holgate was the defendant and the court ordered that he be discharged.

TO THE TRUANT SCHOOL.

John Latour and Joseph Fournier were charged with being habitual truants. Latour was sentenced to the truant school for a term of 18 months and Fournier was placed on probation.

CIRCASSIA FOUND NOT GUILTY.

Circassian C. M. Christie was charged with being a stubborn child. Her case came up on continuance and Judge Pickman found her not guilty.

For drunkenness, five first offenders were fined $2 each.

MATRIMONIAL

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Jean Baptist parochial house when William F. Carroll of Branch street and Miss Mary Champagne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Champagne of 41 West Third street were married.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Mangin, O. M. I., the best man being Robert Thomas, and the bridesmaid Miss Josephine Methane. After the ceremony the happy couple returned to the bride's home where they received the congratulations of many friends. They were made the recipients of a great variety of useful and costly presents.

After a wedding repast an impromptu musical program was rendered, many of the young ladies and gentlemen furnishing vocal and instrumental music.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll started on a late train for their honeymoon, to be spent in New York and Philadelphia.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—Cotton: Futures opened weak. Oct. 9.08; Nov. 9.16, Dec. 9.19; Jan. 9.18; Feb. —; March 9.21; April —; May 9.26; June 9.27; July 9.30.

NEW YORK FLOODED

Downpour of Rain for 24 Hours

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—After 24 hours of pouring rain, New York city and adjacent country suffered early today from severe floods.

Six and 24-100 inches of rain had fallen in the 24 hours ending 9 a. m. today and it was still raining hard. This was believed to be near a record rain fall.

Many trolley lines and railroads were either crippled or delayed and in New York city a conduit containing 70 telegraph wires was so flooded as to disable all the wires.

A heavy flood in the Bronx damaged the packing houses of Schwarzchild & Sulzberger, Swift & Company and Nelson Morris & Company, and a portion of the freight yard of the New York Central railroad was covered by 12 feet of water. A watchman who had sought refuge on the top of a car was rescued.

From all parts of the city were received reports of flooded cellars, flooded sewers and impassable gutters. Many cellars along the North river front were flooded and in some instances there was a loss on goods stored there. It is impossible to estimate the amount of the damage until the cellars have been pumped out.

West street, in front of the downtown ferries to Jersey City and Hoboken, was flooded and passengers were carried across it in drays and grocers' wagons, temporarily pressed into service.

Trolley traffic at St. George, Staten Island, was completely tied up by a rush of water over the tracks between Stapleton and St. George.

The water was two feet deep in South street at the New York side of the Fulton street Brooklyn ferry. Passengers arriving on the ferry boats waded through the water up to their knees, until the dealers in Fulton street used large boxes to build a bridge across the street. The bridge blocked the street for truck traffic, but a section of the bridge had to be removed every few minutes to admit the post office horse cars.

Nassau street, between Wall and Pine streets, was closed on account of a washout in the middle of the street. Pedestrians waded through a foot of water. The sidewalk at the corner of the sub-treasury building was undermined.

The water was two feet deep in West street, in front of the ferry house of the Barclay street ferry to Hoboken. For nearly one hour working girls and women waited in the ferry house marooned by the flood, until a truckman backed his truck up to the ferry house and announced that he would take as many persons as could stand on the floor of the truck, across the flood for seven cents apiece. The truck was quickly loaded.

It had hardly started on its way when several other truckmen did likewise. Every ferryboat was met by half a dozen truckmen and the passengers, instead of hearing the usual cry of "Keb, Keb, Krorige, Keorige," were greeted with "take yer across the street for a nickel."

GAME POSTPONED

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 9—Pittsburg-Boston world's championship baseball game postponed until tomorrow on account of cold weather.

$25 FOR A CATCH PHRASE

Offered by the Merrimack Clothing Company—Open to Everybody.

Thinking men and women, set your wits to work! Here's a chance to earn $25 by furnishing a catch phrase to be used by the Merrimack Clothing Co. in their ads.

By a "catch phrase" is meant a short combination of words adapted to the Merrimack business as tailored clothiers and outfitters, to men, women and children, indicative of their liberal policy and high grade service. The phrase must be terse and original—one that will become a household expression, as for instance:

"If you see it in the Sun, it's so."

"Your money's worth, or money back."

"Get the habit—go to Brill Bros."

"The smile that won't come off," etc., etc.

The contest will be open three weeks—the exact date of closing to be announced in our later ads.

Address answers to Merrimack Clothing Co., marked "Catch Phrase Contest."

Do Hard Hats Cause Baldness?

The theory that four-fifths of the baldness in men is due to wearing tight fitting, hard hats, has been advanced by one of the Metropolitan dailies in an exhaustive treatise on the subject.

It claims that tight fitting hats prevent proper blood circulation to the scalp, causing disease to the scalp and consequent loss of hair.

It's an excellent argument in favor of the easy fitting soft hat for men's wear.

Whether men have been influenced by this reasoning or because of an exceptionally worthy showing of soft hats, the Merrimack Clothing Co. reports a big sale of these styles the past few weeks.

At any rate, it's worth thinking about. Why not talk it over with the hat man at the Merrimack.

LIVELY RUNAWAY

Caused Excitement Near City Hall

GUTHRIE'S GREAT BASKET-BALL TACKLE

Stopped the Animal's Mad Career

A lively runaway occurred in Merrimack street near City hall this morning when an animal attached to the wood team of Malloy & Co., 16 Market street, started down Merrimack street from the corner of Hanover on the dead run.

As the runaway passed Lang's City Hall pharmacy the wagon struck an automobile owned by a Mr. Fisher which was standing there and put one of the wheels on the auto out of commission. At the corner of Worthen street a gang of street employes under Harry Guthrie, the old Bucke basketball player, are repairing the sidewalk and a pile of bricks stood in the street, having just been taken from a double team of the street department.

The runaway attempted to go between the double team and the sidewalk, over the brick pile, and in an instant there was a mixup. Harry Guthrie took a basketball tackle on the horse's head, while the wood wagon bumped the city team and got the worst of it. The horse barked his shins on the brick pile and the shaft of the wood team curled around a trolley pole and broke off. The owner of the wood team swore in Greek at the horse and the owner of the auto did likewise in English.

Rather difficult to know just how to dress these days? One day warm, the next cold, summer underwear too light, winter underwear too heavy—just the weather for the medium weight garments that have wool enough for protection, not too much for comfort.

The Merrimack Clothing Co. shows a line of medium weight underwear in white and natural merinos that suits the weather perfectly. Sizes are up to 50, and include short leg drawers—the 50c price is the most interesting feature you wonder how they can do it.

SNATCH THIEVES

Took Girl's Pocketbook in Barclay Street

Look out for snatch thieves! Such is the warning sent out from police headquarters. Snatch thieves are more in evidence in the fall than at any other season of the year and some of them have already began operations in Lowell.

About nine o'clock last night Susie Frazer was set upon by snatch thieves in Barclay street and they got away with her pocketbook containing a small amount of money. She was returning to her home in Lincoln street and at the corner of Barclay she saw two young men standing. As she went to pass by one of them grabbed her pocketbook which she carried in her hand and both young men ran through Barclay street. Miss Frazer was badly frightened. She reported the matter to the police.

Keiser Batatheas, the richest and most serviceable of neckwear silks, selling at 50c at the Merrimack Clothing Co.

GRANT JEWELRY CO'S BUSY ESTABLISHMENT.

As people go along the streets of our city looking into the windows they little dream of the vast amount of business that is carried on in some of these stores. The Grant Jewelry Co. at 61 Merrimack street has always been noted for its magnificent and attractive window display. The manager, Mr. Fred Gray, has certainly an eye for the beautiful as can be seen by the goods he selects for his large and ever increasing trade. Who you and ever increasing trade. When you want to get an article that is out of the ordinary you can certainly find it at this store. Not only are the windows a great attraction but the store is teeming with the grandest stock of gold and silverware, cut glass, table cutlery, watches, clocks, umbrellas and every article that could be found in the largest jewelry establishment in the country. As people look at the grand display they would be surprised if told that this is only a portion of their extensive business, as their basement is used as a manufacturing and repairing department. Although it is not open to view from the street, it is a busy bee hive of industry, as there are four watch makers and repairers and two clock repairers and several silversmiths. You cannot only obtain the finest watch and clock repairing at this establishment, but you can also match any piece of jewelry or bric-a-brac either in gold or silver. This store is perhaps the best equipped in the city for this kind of work, and having an established reputation in the line of repairing, they keep their force busy all the time. As for their sale of goods, they do the largest business in the city and their prices are always the lowest. They are practical jobbers as well as wholesale dealers, so that the middle man's profit with the Grant Jewelry Co., is entirely cut out, and is generously given to their customers. Their store is the headquarters for wedding and holiday presents, and as it will be but a few weeks before the holiday season is on, it will be well for people to select what they want from the endless variety now on hand. The prices are so low that people will find it a profitable investment to purchase at this store. Everybody is invited to call and examine the goods as it is a pleasure to the clerks to show them.

BADLY INJURED

Automobile Wrecked on Broadway Bridge

Ex-Mayor Fifield was slightly injured and his father quite seriously injured in an automobile accident that happened on the bridge in Broadway, near Wilson's coal office at 10.30 this forenoon.

The front axle of the machine broke and the machine, driven by electricity, capsized, throwing Mr. Fifield and his father to the ground and in the course of its maneuvering, the machine landed on both men, holding them prisoners until help arrived.

The batteries were still thumping away and the wires had to be cut before the wheels stopped revolving. Mr. Fifield was able to assist in caring for his father, who was unconscious. He was badly cut about the head. It is thought that one shoulder is dislocated and that he is internally injured. The ex mayor was bruised about the head, face and body, but it is thought that his injuries are not necessarily serious.

The older man was cared for at Wilson's coal office until the arrival of the ambulance, which was summoned immediately upon the occurrence of the accident.

Mr. Fifield did not regain consciousness and was removed to his son's home, corner of Middlesex and Clinton streets.

The machine is a total wreck. The spokes in all the wheels were broken and the top was torn off. The sides of the machine were stripped. The centre of gravity of the machine was quite high, higher than the ordinary machine, so that the fall was more severe. Those who witnessed the accident say that the front wheels caught in a guard rail and the pressure brought to bear in an attempt to release it, broke the axle.

The elder Fifield's home is Sylvester. He is 85 years of age and the doctors fear that his injuries will prove too much for him. At the time of writing he was still unconscious and Dr. Irish was attending to him.

LIKE EXPLOSION

Plate Glass Smashed on Merrimack Street

WITH CRASH LIKE AN EXPLOSION

A Draught of Air Caused Accident

A draught of air from within the Ginter Grocery store on Merrimack street caused the big door of the store to close suddenly with a crash this morning that startled everyone within hearing distance.

The big plate glass window in the door fell out upon the sidewalk and was broken into a thousand pieces. The noise badly frightened many people, who were nearby, and some thought that another explosion had overtaken the city.

CARROLL D. WRIGHT

NAMED AS UMPIRE BY JUDGE GRAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 9—Judge Gray of the anthracite strike commission, has appointed Carroll D. Wright umpire in connection with the question of the short working day on Saturday in the Schuylkill region.

DEATHS

TETREAULT—Marie Anne Merilda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Narcisse Tetreault of 82 Austin street, died Wednesday at her parents' residence at the age of 12 years 1 month and 11 days. Deceased was a pupil of the sisters' school, and a member of the Sodalities of the Children of Mary, of the Propagation of the Faith and of the Sacred Heart.

BARRETT—John P. Barrett, aged 1 month and 9 days, infant son of John and Bridget, died last night at the home of his parents, 218 Adams street.

WILBUR—Elizabeth Wilbur, aged 44 years, wife of John Wilbur, died last night at her home, 324 Gorham street. She is survived by one son, James, and a niece, Mrs. Frank Lane.

HARRISON—Mary Harrison, aged 75 years, died last night at her home, 142 Central street. She leaves to mourn her loss besides her husband, William, two brothers, Steve and Thomas Riley of Waltham, one sister, Mrs. Richard Henry of Fall River, and one daughter, Mary Gleason.

See Misc. P. L. Gregoire's advertisement.

DON'T YOU FORGET

That J. S. Ladd Co. will open their new store Monday, Oct. 12. A new line of black dress goods will be added. A souvenir worth 50 to $1.00 will be given to all purchasers of $5.00 and over. Come in Monday.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Cloudy tonight with rain in southern and southeastern portions. Saturday fair; Saturday cooler; brisk to high north to east winds.

GRADE CROSSINGS

B. & M. Engineer Will Submit Plans

FOR REMOVAL OF LOCAL GRADE CROSSINGS

At Conference to be Held Monday

The special committee of the city council in grade crossings appears to be making most commendable progress with its work and it is believed that something in the desired line will be accomplished this time.

The engineer of the Boston & Maine railroad will come here on Monday and confer with the committee and the city engineer in regard to plans which he has for the removal of some of the local grade crossings. If an agreement can be reached the committee will push the matter along without delay.

THE POWER OF A DOLLAR.

With the necessities of life pointing higher, increasing the living expenses out of proportion to the increased wage, it behooves the careful man to watch every dollar closely and buy where he can get the most for his money, without sacrificing quality. We know of no better illustration of the buying power of a dollar than the street gloves shown by the Merrimack Clothing Co. Every season as the business increases the quality is finer. This fall's stock is great—you'll say they're worth $1.50. Regular and cadet sizes in all the correct fall shades.

Special Saturday sale of millinery at Mme. P. L. Gregoire's. See adv.

Your dealer has this superior brand in stock and he realizes that they are "A little better than any other"

C. C. A.

UNION MADE

10c CIGARS

C. C. A. CIGAR CO., Boston

WHO DOES NOT LIKE THE VERY CHOICEST FOOD?

We Sell this Kind at Bed-rock Prices

Best Vermont Creamery Butter.....27c lb., 5 lb. box $1.35
Choice Creamery Butter.....25c lb., 5 lb. box $1.25
Good Butter.....23c lb., 5 lbs. $1.15

COFFEES

Our delicious Mocha and Java, 30c lb., 3½ lbs. $1.00
Boston Blend....25c lb., 3 lbs. 72c
1 lb. can.....25c
2 lb. can.....50c
Fine American Coffee, 20c lb., 6 lbs. $1.00

TEAS

The Best Values in Lowell.

25c lb.....3 lbs. 70c
35c lb.....3 lbs. $1.00
50c lb.....3 lbs. $1.35
60c lb.....3 lbs. $1.65
75c lb.....3 lbs. $2.00
Gold Eagle Tea.....3-lb. can 80c

Gold Eagle Mocha and Java Coffee.....5-lb. can 80c, 3-lb. can 50c
New Salted Peanuts.....10c lb.
Finest Jersey Sweet Potatoes.....13 lbs. 25c
Houlton Green Mountain Potatoes.....20c pk., 75c bush.
Brown Sugar.....5c lb., 20 lbs. $1.00
10 lbs. Fine Granulated Sugar for.....$1.00

What 25 Cents Will Buy

3 lbs. Best Rice.....25c
4 lbs. Good Rice.....25c
10 lbs. Graham Flour.....25c
2 bottles Ketchup.....25c
10 lbs. Granulated Meal.....25c
4 lbs. Soda Crackers.....25c
3 lbs. Milk Crackers.....25c
5 lbs. Common Crackers.....25c
3 lbs. Extra Prunes.....25c
4 lbs. Choice Prunes.....25c
6 lbs. Good Prunes.....25c
3 lbs. Cleaned Currants.....25c
1 gal. Cooking Molasses.....25c
½ gal. Choice Table Molasses.....25c
5 lbs. Ginger Snaps.....25c
5 lbs. Lemon Cakes.....25c

See our choice line of fresh chocolates at the candy counter . . . . 18c, 30c and 50c pound

Yerxa's

FREE DELIVERY

223 Central Street - Tel. 679-3

PARLOR HEATING STOVES

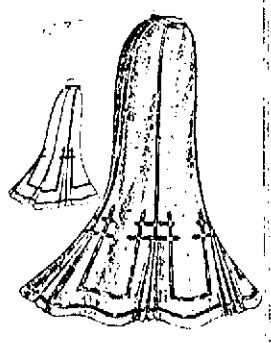
Our beautiful line of Heating Stoves have arrived and can be seen in our store. If you are thinking of purchasing a Heating Stove, do not buy before looking our stock over. We will save you money. Our prices range from $4.00 to $90.00. We also keep a fine line of Iron Beds at the lowest prices, and a grand line of all kinds of Household Furniture, at

W. F. DEVLIN, 201 Gorham St. OPP. UNION ST

Goods Delivered FREE to All Parts of the City

Cloaks, Suits and Jackets

—For Ladies and Misses'—



We Offer the Best Values it has been our Good Fortune to Show

Never beaten in quality or price.
Fresh from the New York market.
200 Newest Novelties in Tailored Suits at $7.50, $10.98, $12.50 to $35.00.
New Golf Vests and Sweaters.
New Rain Coats and Skirts.
New Box Coats and Corset Coats.

S. & H. Green Trading Stamps Given

Chris. Holmes' Specialty Store, 124-126 Merr'k St.

A clear skin doesn't go with a muddy liver. Ayer's Pills. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

G. W. BONNEVILLE, D. D. S.
LOWELL DENTAL PARLORS
Painless Extraction. 109 Merrimack St.
We give Green Trading Stamps.

WANTED Carpenters. Call at 34 Bridge avenue.

$6.75 Best Coal

For Immediate Delivery

Stove, Egg and No. 1 Nut Coal $6.75 per ton. No. 2 Nut $6.00. Cash with the order. Dry Kindling, Slab and Hard Wood ready for your call. Mail or telephone orders receive prompt attention.

JOHN P. QUINN,
OFFICE AND YARD, COR. GORHAM AND DIX STS.
All Gorham Street cars pass yard.

Dry Kindling Wood

When you want the best on the market delivered promptly, telephone or drop a postal to

John P. Quinn
Cor. Gorham and Dix Sts.
All Gorham street cars pass the door.

THE SUN LATEST 5 O'CLOCK

MAMMOTH FORGERY

Worcester Railway Robbed of a Million

New York Expert Found Forged Endorsements to Paper of the Company—The Concern Now in Hands of Receiver

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 9.—As far as can be learned from the police authorities and others interested, no steps have yet been taken towards the prosecution of any persons as the result of the statement made public today that a New York handwriting expert had found forged indorsements to papers of the Worcester & Southbridge street railway company aggregating $1,000,000. The road is now in the hands of receivers, for purposes of reorganizing and C. M. Thayer, speaking for those officials said today that the matter of forged indorsements was a matter for action by those whose names were forged rather than by the receivers. George W. Wells, one of the principal stockholders of the road, whose name is the one alleged to have been found illegally affixed to the notes of the company said that he could not discuss the question, as he had engaged counsel in Boston to act for him. He would not confirm or deny the statement that forgeries had been discovered or that criminal proceedings would be taken.

Inquiry by telephone at the office of the Boston counsel of Mr. Wells met with no better result. The court officials and the police here have received no intimation that arrests are to be made.

The Worcester & Southbridge railroad, with an allied line, the Worcester, Rochdale & Charlton Depot Street Railway went into the hands of receivers about two months ago. Two pleasure resorts operated by the roads also were included in the receiverships.

From the time the news of the trouble first became known, hints of fraud were heard, but until the present announcement that forgery had been discovered no developments had been made public.

LAWYER CHOATE DECLINES TO TALK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Lawyer C. F. Choate of this city, who, it is understood, represents George W. Wells, the large stockholder in the Worcester & Southbridge Street Railway company, declined today to make any statement as to the present status of the financial trouble of the company. Whether criminal prosecution will be forced as a result of the alleged forgeries, Mr. Choate would not say. He would not state by whom the handwriting expert was employed, nor would he confirm the statement that extensive forgery had been found.

KAFFIRS WEAK

BUSINESS OPENED DEPRESSED ON LONDON CHANGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 9.—Business on the stock exchange today opened depressed owing to renewed fears of embarrassments of firms in London and abroad. The weakness of Kaffirs was due to forced selling in connection with the failure of a firm of speculators which was not connected with the stock exchange, but which some months ago boomed Kaffirs to fancy prices. The firm's guarantee for $5,000,000 was among those accepted by former Colonial Secretary Chamberlain in connection with the floating of the Transvaal loan.

THE NEW CABINET

HAS TAKEN UP THE GOVERNMENT WORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 9.—The new cabinet ministers have assumed their duties, the seals of office having been exchanged at a privy council meeting held by King Edward at Buckingham palace this morning. All the retiring officials and their successors were present, with the exception of the Duke of Devonshire, the late lord president of the council, and Mr. Arnold-Forster, the new war secretary. The latter was indisposed and the former was subsequently received in private audience by the king.

TO REDUCE EXPENSES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANILA, Oct. 9.—A commission is now engaged in reducing the number of municipalities in the different provinces of the Island. This will greatly reduce the expenses of the government.

KEEP YOUR TROUSERS PRESSED.

Nothing looks so slack on a business man, or any man for that matter, as baggy trousers. A pair of trousers should be pressed once a week at least, oftener if convenient.

The Merrimack Clothing Co. makes a feature of pressing free their customers' clothes. Careful men appreciate this liberal policy. It saves them a good round sum in the course of a year.

Other things equal, isn't it natural to expect that such service will determine a man where to buy his fall suit?

BUILDING DEPT.

Must Make Repairs at City Hospital

CITY SOLICITOR'S OPINION TO THAT EFFECT

Sent to Committee on Accounts

The city solicitor today handed down an opinion to the committee on accounts on the right of the overseers of the poor to approve bills for repairs upon the city farm buildings, which were made without the approval or direction of the superintendent of lands and buildings.

Early in the year a similar opinion was asked of Former City Solicitor Quin by the lands and buildings committee and he returned the opinion that all work of that nature at the city farm must be done by the superintendent of lands and buildings. The opinion handed down this morning refers to the former opinion and agrees with it in every detail.

Hence, it would appear that all such repairs henceforth must be made by the lands and buildings department, under the direction of the superintendent of lands and buildings, whether the overseers like the proposition or not, for the committee on accounts having received the city solicitor's opinion on the matter, will refuse to approve any more bills for repairs, not approved by Supt. Conlon.

The opinion given in regard to the overseers of the poor would appear to apply to other departments as well, notably the water and cemetery departments.

In the old days the superintendent of buildings did the work for all the departments without question, but of late the custom has been departed from, with the result as above.

"JOE'S" SOCIALS.

The opening of the fifteenth season of "Joe" Hubbard's popular Saturday night socials will be held at Pressott hall tomorrow night. Tickets admitting gentleman and lady, 25 cents.

DEXTER FINED $10

BALL PLAYER GAVE ABUSIVE MAN SEVERE PUNISHMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Charles E. Dexter, second baseman of the Boston National league baseball club, was fined $10 in the municipal court yesterday on a charge of having assaulted Frank Meehan, a motorman on the Boston Elevated railway, at Hotel Lenehan Tuesday evening.

The trouble started out of a discussion concerning the Pittsburg Boston series. Dexter and Pitcher Malarkey were standing in the hotel office talking about the game played that day, when Meehan came in. There was evidence to the effect that Meehan wanted to bet on the Pittsburgs, and Dexter said that Meehan spoke slightingly and in abusive terms of the Boston players. Dexter reproved him for talking the way he did, as he said that the Boston players were his personal friends, although they were in a rival league, and he didn't propose to stand for hearing them abused in their absence.

Meehan was said to have insisted that the Boston players were no good, and dared Dexter and Malarkey to bet on the Bostons. They offered to bet him $150 on the Bostons and Meehan took them up. Each of the ball players put up $75 and called on Meehan to make good, but all he could show was $90, and some hard words followed. Dexter and Malarkey, William A. Johnson, the night clerk, and other witnesses, swore that Meehan called Dexter all the vile names he could turn a prolific tongue to, and wound up a torrent of abusive words by making a punch at Dexter, which knocked off his hat. Then Dexter sailed into him, and he said that he didn't know where he hit Meehan, but that he punched him anywhere he could.

The fight ended in the street, when Patrolman John Lane of Division 7 grabbed Dexter and arrested him on a charge of assault. Meehan had three cuts in his forehead and had to be taken to the City hospital, where two of the wounds were found so serious as to require stitches.

In announcing his decision Judge Wentworth said that Meehan's vile talk toward Dexter was provocative of assault, but that Dexter had done too far in inflicting punishment on his tormentor, and he made the sentence a fine of $10.

A NEW MONUMENT

WILL BE ERECTED TO THE SOLDIERS IN THE EDSON CEMETERY.

The Soldiers' Monument association met at City hall last evening and discussed plans for the future. Word was received from Mayor Howe that Huntington hall had been engaged for the association on December 9, 10 and 11. Whist parties will be held at the home of Mrs. Clough in Westford street next Tuesday and at Post 88 hall a week later.

The monument will be in the Edson cemetery and whist parties and other entertainments will be held for the purpose of raising money to build the monument.

VENISON SEIZED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CALAIS, Me., Oct. 9. Warden Ross seized two saddles of venison in crates from the Boston steamer shipped from Calais to a Boston party late yesterday. Warden Ross expects to prove the game was bought in Canada and brought over the line.

THE PRESIDENT'S CALLERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Despite the heavy downpour of rain yesterday, President Roosevelt had an unusually large number of callers. At noon he greeted the 150 members of the New England Grocers' association and 300 members of the National Association of Retail Druggists now in session in this city. He shook hands with each. Scores of them stood for more than half an hour in a drenching rain awaiting their turn to enter the executive offices.

ATTACK OF APPENDICITIS.

Dolphis Leboeuf, aged 22 years, was taken suddenly ill while at work at the Tremont & Suffolk mills Wednesday and was removed to his home. An examination yesterday showed that he was suffering from appendicitis and he was taken in the ambulance to the Lowell hospital.

DRACUT LIBRARY.

Members of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the citizens of Dracut wish the public to know that the Dracut library is open on Saturdays from 9 a. m. till 5 p. m., and that the artistic memorial volume executed by Rose Turner and presented by Molly Varnum chapter can now be seen there.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

Green Trading Stamps

$5.00 worth with 1 lb. Baking Powder.
$4.00 worth with 1 lb. 60c Tea.
$3.00 worth with 1 lb. 50c Tea.

O'Brien Bros. TEA DEALERS

227 Central Street

Tel. 679-5. Free Delivery

NAMES OF ROBBERS

TOLD TO POLICE BY ONE OF THEIR PALS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 9.—Guy Marshman alias Jim Conners, the bandit who was wounded in an attempt to hold up the Oregon railroad and navigation train at Corbett two weeks ago, has disclosed to the sheriff the names of the rest of the gang of train robbers.

According to Marshman, the leader of the band was Jim James, a distant relative of the notorious outlaw, Jesse James. The other members were George Underwood, "Bill" Morgan and his nephew, Charles Morgan, and himself.

Mme. P. L. Gregoire announces a special Saturday sale of millinery. See her advertisement.

Magnificent Display

Fall and Winter Millinery

SPECIAL SATURDAY SALE

500 Beautiful Trimmed Hats in all the latest shapes and colors; every one of these hats are made in our own work room. Saturday's price $1.48.

150 Hats made of velvet and draped with silk. Saturday's sale, $1.48.

250 Mulline Trimmed Hats, $1.48.

250 Beautiful Black Hats, let crown and tucked, with Liberty silk brim; a large number of these are on the boat shape. For this sale, $1.98.

200 Fancy Made Hats, for this sale $1.98.

50 Outing Hats at..... 25c Each
75 Outing Hats at..... 50c Each
150 Outing Hats at..... $1.98 Each
200 Outing Hats at..... $1.48 Each

(All worth double the money.)

SPECIAL BARGAIN COUNTER

On our Bargain Counter upstairs will be found an endless variety of Camel's Hair Hats, Children's School Hats, Fancy Feathers, Pompons, etc., a few of which are here mentioned:

5 cases of Camel's hair Hats, in all shapes and colors, 49c, 75c, 98c, $1.25, $1.48 and $1.75.

A full line of Children's School Hats, all trimmed, 48c.

Wires in all shades, 10c pair.

Fancy Feathers, 25c to 48c.

Pompons in all shades, 10c, 25c, 50c and 75c.

MOURNING GOODS

We make a specialty of Mourning Millinery. In this department may be found a most complete line of mourning hats at prices to suit every purse.

Look in our Show Windows, then step inside, and we will guarantee that you will be suited.

Mme. P. L. Gregoire,

133 to 137 Merrimack Street

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AL. HAYNES, Manager.

ALL WEEK AFTERNOON AND EVENING OCT. 5

FAVOR & SINCLAIR

Box Office Open 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

RICHARD F. MURPHY, Prop. and Mgr.

Three Nights and Usual Matinees, Commencing Thursday, Oct. 8.

Miss New York, Jr.

30—PEOPLE—30
10—COMEDIANS—10
20—BEAUTIFUL LADIES—20

A Show to Jolly Jaded Humanity.
A Joyous Jumble of Jollity.
Two Funny Burlesques.
Host of Vaudeville Talent.

Matinee Prices for Ladies - 10c and 20c

TEMPLE - THEATRE

LOWELL'S HOME OF POLITE VAUDEVILLE

Odd Fellows' Temple - 84 Middlesex St.

M. W. Murray, Manager.

Week Commencing With

MONDAY MATINEE OCT. 5

BOHE & HEYER.
MARVELL & GLEASON.
CUNNINGHAM & COVERNY.
THE MUSICAL HOLBROOKS.
BILLY HINES.
NELL BUTCHER.
THE ELMIRA SISTERS.

POPULAR PRICES—Evening, 10c, 15c and 25c. Matinee, 10c and 20c.
Doors Open at 2 and 7. Performances commence at 2.30 and 8 o'clock.

Don't Delay

But have YOUR EYES EXAMINED today by

Optician George C. Rogers,

145 MERRIMACK STREET.
Up One Flight

Are You Going Away

If so you should call at Devine's Trunk Store. We can save you money enough to pay your car fare, either in a trunk or dress suit case or any other thing in the trunk line. Remember the place.

P. F. DEVINE'S TRUNK STORE

88 MERRIMACK STREET.

DOUBLE BLUE DISCOUNT STAMPS BEGINNING OCT. 5-10 INCLUSIVE.

JOHN F. SAUNDERS,

159 Gorham St. Cor. Summer
Telephone 592-3.

ON BLUE DISCOUNT STAMPS.

50 stamps with 1 lb. 5c. Baking Powder.
40 stamps with 1 lb. 50c. Tea.
25 stamps with 1 lb. 50c. Coffee.
10 stamps with 1 lb. 15c. Force.
10 stamps with 1 lb. 15c. Butterine.
5 stamps with 1 pkg. 10c. Presto.

ON GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

50 stamps with 1 lb. 50c. Baking Powder.
20 stamps with 1 lb. 50c. Tea.
20 stamps with 1 lb. 50c. Coffee.
5 stamps with 1 lb. 15c. Butterine.
5 stamps with 1 lb. 15c. Force.
5 stamps with 1 pkg. 10c. Presto.

CORNED BEEF.....3c to 6c lb.

Smoked Shoulders.....9c lb
Best canned Tomatoes.....3 for 25c
Best canned Peas.....3 for 25c
Best canned Corn.....10c
Best canned Peaches.....15c
Challenge Milk.....6 for 25c
Mixed Nuts.....8c lb.

BEST CLOSE BUTTERINE.

15c, 17c, 18c from 20c lb. sts.

CHOICE LINE OF TEAS.

The best Oolong.....50c lb.
6 lbs. Fancy Formosa Oolong.....$1.00
Six Golden Tips Assam.....50c, 4 lbs. $1
50c Orange Pekoe.....50c, 5 lbs. $1
50c Uncle Brockton.....50c, 5 lbs. $1

Every Woman

If interested in social matters should use the well-tested MARVEL Whirling Spray. The new vaginal syringe. Ladies and Nurses find it best. Sent sealed, postpaid, on receipt of $1.00. It cleanses thoroughly. Ask your druggist for it. If he does not keep it buy the MARVEL, accept no other, but send stamp for illustrated booklet, sealed, by express. Full particulars and testimonials invaluable to ladies. MARVEL CO., Times Building, New York.

SHORTHAND IN 20 LESSONS

Absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; positive guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation. 25 cents per lesson, no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates, first lesson free for stamp. Department 26, A. Cincotta, of Edinburgh, 241 Townsend bldg., New York.

CARTER'S Cough Balsam 25c

WILL CURE THAT COUGH

Carter & Sherborne's DRUG STORE

Merrimack, Cor. Bridge Street.

Dyspepsia

Don't think you can cure your dyspepsia in any other way than by strengthening and toning your stomach.

That is weak and incapable of performing its functions, probably because you have imposed upon it in one way or another over and over again.

You should take

Hood's Sarsaparilla

It strengthens and tones the stomach, and permanently cures dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. Accept no substitute.

WE CHARGE ONLY THE MERCHANDISE — NOT THE CREDIT

Your Account Solicited

E. D. Shadduck Co.

Lowell's Largest Credit Clothiers

206-214 Middlesex Street. - - - - Lowell, Mass.

Clothing the Good Kind on CREDIT

Our method of giving Credit is the same old way your forefathers bought, modernized to suit present conditions.

The furniture dealer, the grocery man, the iceman and all have their way of giving credit to their patrons. Why should not your clothier give you the same accommodation?

Our way is to allow you to pay a small sum on account out of your earnings each week, you have the use of the goods while paying.

We guarantee our prices to be as low as any house can sell dependable merchandise. If you find otherwise, we will cheerfully refund the money paid.

Overcoats

In endless variety. It is time you were looking at our Winter styles. Fall, be up to date, from

$1.00 a week

Men's Suits

Don't wear your spring suit all fall, be up to date, from

$1.00 to $1.50 a week

Ladies' Suits

Get the new styles as soon as they are out. We have the best line in Lowell, from

$1.00 to $2.00 a week

Rain Coats

Not necessary to "go in out of the rain" if you wear one of these, from

$1.00 to $1.50 a week

Ladies' Coats

That new kind that you may see in the best stores in Boston and New York—very few in Lowell have them yet. You can look stylish in one, from

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Sale price 98c

10 Styles of Rib Underwear—Non-irritating, soft, clingy garments will wash well, also extra heavy double-breasted fleece lined, strictly high grade and worth 75c.

Sale price 48c

Five cases of Wool Fleece, extra heavy underwear there is not a garment made that will give better wear for touch money, warm and healthful they are worth $1.00 on sale

At 69c

2 Cases of extra heavy fleece lined, regular 50c quality.

Sale price 39c

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Two Cases of Boys' Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, regular 45c quality. Today

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CRISIS AT HAND

Developments Expected Sunday in Chinese Feud

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Within 48 hours the police believe that the threatened clash between the Hep Sing Tong and the Ong Leung Tong societies will have begun.

Recent developments have convinced Captain Cain's men that three-quarters of Chinatown's residents are heavily armed. It is known that quantities of ammunition have been purchased by Chinese society members since the shooting last Friday and that dozens of chain shirts are being worn in anticipation of coming trouble.

Secret but certain information has been sent to the police that the funeral services over the body of the murdered Wong Yek Chung on Sunday will be the signal for an outbreak where men of both the rival tongs will in all likelihood prove victims.

But the trouble is apt to come even sooner—at any time after midnight Saturday, when Chinamen from all parts of the city and suburbs begin to pour in about Harrison avenue for the Sunday game. The meeting of opposite factions among the late arrivals is only too apt to lead to a repetition of last Friday night's tragedy.

Every Hep Sing Tong man will be in Chinatown on Sunday next. So will every member of the Ong Leung Tong. Imperative notices sent out from the headquarters of both organizations during the week make attendance at Sunday's funeral compulsory. And both sides, it is stated, are only too willing that the outbreak shall then begin.

In addition to these hundreds of other Chinamen who drop into Chinatown on Sunday for their weekly purchases will swell the population to considerably larger figures. This will make the arrest of the rioters, if the trouble does come, an exceedingly difficult proposition.

Probably the coolest man in Chinatown is Sin Tup, the president of the Hep Sing Tongs. Though there is a price of $500 set upon his head by the Highbinders, and though the "hatchet men" are dogging his movements closely, he expresses the utmost contempt for the Ong Leong Tongs, and claims that his society will hold their own against their rivals whenever the clash comes.

"Let them try to put me out of the way, if they can," said he. "I am not afraid of the miserable Ong Leong Tongs. They are Boo How Boys, Highbinders, 'hatchet men,' anything you like to call them. It takes about six of them to whip a Hep Sing Tong man. They are all cowards; they fight in the dark. I have seen 20 of them run like rats when they saw a policeman coming. The only thing I fear is that they will not dare to come out in the open. They will hide in cellars and doorways. They do not dare to meet a Hep Sing tong man face to face.

"If any man kills me to get $500 he is a fool. He would never get his money from those miserable Ong Leongs. They would kill him, too, to save expenses.

"They won't dare attack my society. They are too cowardly to fight. If they saw a lot of us in a hole in the ground they would throw rocks on us and then run. They make me sick. Take drink much saki and talk big."

MRS. AVERY'S ROLE

MARTHA MOORE AVERY

Former Socialist Agitator Will Tour State

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Martha Moore Avery, for many years a prominent Socialist agitator, who is now endeavoring to create a strong sentiment against that party, will tour the state next week in support of her campaign.

Her route will include Haverhill, Lynn and other strongholds of socialism. While realizing the danger of turbulent scenes, Mrs. Avery announces a determination of waging a vigorous crusade.

"Socialism is controlled by several fanatics who make their headquarters in New York," said Mrs. Avery to a reporter yesterday. "Instead of standing for the workingmen's interest, it is an exponent of atheism and an enemy of moral and social laws. The rank and file of the party labor under a misunderstanding. They believe the organization will bring them better living conditions. This is not so. The only difference between anarchists and socialists is the superiority of the latter as politicians. They are not as stupid in their workings. Both aim at destruction. Only through the American Federation of Labor can the laboring people receive benefit.

"In their atheism the socialists recognize no spiritual power. They regard the country's institutions as owing their existence solely to industrial forces. They will not consider moral relationship until all oppressions have been abolished. Assuming the task of abolition, they declare the society will decide the moral question when its work has been completed.

"After 1" years of labor I am convinced that the socialist party menaces the welfare of the country. My change of faith commenced when George D. Herron, the present international secretary of the movement, married a woman upon being divorced from his wife. To my horror, socialists everywhere eulogized the ceremony."

FINGERS HURT

Accident in the B. & M. Freight Yard

Peter Kelley, employed on the Boston & Maine railroad, while at work in the freight yards this morning, had the third and fourth fingers of his right hand crushed between the couplings of a car and the engine.

He was taken to the Emergency hospital, where it was found that the third finger was badly lacerated while the fourth was pretty badly bruised. The fingers were dressed, and he later went to his home, 321 Fletcher street.

WM. T. SELLERS

PLEADED GUILTY TO ASSAULT CHARGE.

Henry Belinger of Lawrence was put on trial on a charge of causing the death of Purcello Moran, in the superior criminal court in Salem, yesterday afternoon. He pleaded guilty, and the case was taken from the jury and continued until the January term for sentence.

William T. Sellers of Andover, a lawrence newspaper man pleaded guilty to assaulting Samuel T. Mayer with a revolver and was placed on probation.

James W. Robbins a young man from Lynnfield pleaded guilty to burning a little pig pen in that town which belonged to Frederick Lingrin. He was probated.

Floyd T. Ferris a former employe of the American Express company, in Lynn, was sentenced to the house of correction for one year for stealing $213.61 from the company.

William E. Schrafft of Boston was fined $25 for driving his automobile in Beverly faster than the legal limit. A like fine was imposed on Lodolphe L. Agassiz for a similar offence.

IN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

JESUIT PRIESTS WILL HAVE CHARGE OF RELIGIOUS WORK.

The religious work in the higher catholic educational institutions for women in Boston will be controlled exclusively by Jesuit priests during the present school year, three of those clergymen having been appointed as spiritual directors for the young women students.

Rev. Joseph H. Rockwell, SJ, vice president of Boston college, will have charge of the religious society known as the Children of Mary, connected with the academy of Notre Dame, on Berkeley street.

Rev. Thomas I. Gasson, SJ, professor of ethics at the college, will have charge of the pupils at the academy of the Sacred Heart, Massachusetts avenue, and will also direct the religious work of a society composed of alumnae of the school.

Rev. William M. McDonough, SJ, of the church of the Immaculate Conception, will have the direction of the pupils' sodalities at the academy of Notre Dame, Roxbury.

NAME FORGED

ON PAPER OF WORCESTER & SOUTHBRIDGE ROAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Oct. 9.—David N. Carvalho, the New York handwriting expert, has declared the name of George W. Wells, as indorser of notes representing nearly $1,000,000 to be forged on paper of the Worcester & Southbridge street railway company, now in the hands of receivers.

The announcement is expected to have a decided effect upon the reorganization of plans of the company and its paper, it is thought, will be more readily accepted by banks and individuals.

The decision of Mr. Carvalho strengthens a belief that officials of the road have had for some time. Until yesterday, however, establishment of the indorsements on many of the notes as forgeries was not possible.

It is pointed out that holders of the company's paper cannot expect to rely on the payment of notes bearing the indorsements on many of the notes as Southbridge, when it is shown that in many instances these signatures have been declared forgeries. Those working in behalf of the organization feel confident that the plan seen to be submitted will be more acceptable when the Carvalho decision becomes generally understood.

FACULTY ACTS

WILL TAKE UP THE CHARGES AGAINST STUDENTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Oct. 9.—Action by the faculty of Worcester Polytechnic institute may follow the junior class banquet at South Framingham Wednesday evening, where two of the students were arrested.

In court yesterday Frederick C. Daniels of Natick, a junior, was charged with larceny, and his case was continued one week. Roy T. Parker of Meriden, Conn., a freshman paid a fine of $5 on a charge of disturbing the peace.

The upper and lower classmen attempted to break up the junior banquet and the scenes which followed were considered sensational by residents of South Framingham.

Yesterday the students contributed to a fund to repair the damage at the hotel in South Framingham.

John E. Malone, Fall River, a member of the senior class, is today being attended by a physician. In a clash with fellow students he dislocated his right collarbone. Malone is a member of the football team and a well-known athlete. Last night Pres. Edmund A. Enclar of the institute, said:

"The faculty is not prepared to make any statement yet. As a body we have not considered the banquet yet."

SEARCH BEGUN

FOR JOHNSTON AND HERMAN WHO RAN AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANILA, Oct. 9.—At the request of Governor Taft, Admiral Sterling has dispatched two gunboats to the Isla de Cuba and the Pampanga to Albay and Samar to search the neighboring waters for the little steamer Victoria with Johnston and Herman, the defaulting constabulary officials on board. A coast guard vessel also has been sent out to overtake the fugitives if possible. No word of their whereabouts has yet been received from any source.

FAINTING SPELL

Man Just Discharged From Hospital

Peter Dedlels, a man about 82 years of age, left the state hospital at Tewksbury this morning and came on a train to this city, but after getting off the train he was in such a weak condition that he fainted.

Word was sent to the ambulance station and when the ambulance arrived the man was unconscious.

He was removed to St. John's hospital, where he was revived and afterwards taken to the city farm.

VALLEY FLOODED

THE DAM ACROSS RAMAPO RIVER GAVE WAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—A dam across the Ramapo river at Pompton Lakes, N. J., burst today, on account of the excessive rain flooding the valley in which a large part of Pompton is located. The rush of water destroyed a number of houses in its path and it is feared that several persons may have perished.

MINES WILL CONSOLIDATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Oct. 9.—Announcement is made of the consolidation of the Isabella, the Orphan Boll and the Empire gold mining companies, three of the best known claims on the Cripple Creek district, into the Isabella Mines company, a Wyoming corporation. The stock of the constituent companies aggregates $4,250,000.

ROBBER KILLED

Police Opened Fire on Highwaymen

By Associated Press to The Sun

AURORA, Ill., Oct. 9.—In a battle between three highwaymen and two policemen in Aurora last night, one of the men was killed and another injured.

The wounded man and his companion escaped.

Previous to the encounter with the policemen the highwaymen held up an electric car of the River View Park branch of the Aurora Electric line, and after robbing the motorman and conductor of their valuables, took possession of the car and ran to within a short distance of the city limits. They were found later on a car bound for Chicago.

RAISED WAGES

CEMETERY TRUSTEES VOTE INCREASE TO LABORERS.

The cemetery trustees met yesterday afternoon, with Robert W. Mountford, John L. Stevens, Supt. Worton and His Honor, Mayor Howe present. It was voted to increase the pay of men employed in the cemetery from $1.57 a day to $1.75. This action was anticipated by the beneficiaries, who drew up a vote of thanks and placed it before the trustees.

It was voted to obtain plans and specifications for a barn and shed for the cemetery. Other improvements were discussed, and routine business was transacted.

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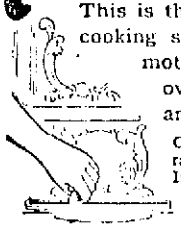

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CAVALRY SHOOT

Chelmsford Men Won Honors and Medals

The annual shoot of the Massachusetts cavalry was held yesterday at Walnut Hill range. As a result of the shoot, Private A. C. Mitchell, of Troop F, of North Chelmsford, and Corp. W. H. Quigley of the same company, won honors.

The shoot for the tri-color was won by Company A of Boston. Two distances were shot at, 200 and 500 yards. The result of the totals for both distances were as follows: Troop A, Boston, 767; Troop D, Boston, 755; Troop F, Chelmsford, 740.

The order of the troops at the 200 yard target was: Troop F, 395; Troop D, 393; and Troop A, 381. At the 500 yard targets, the order was practically reversed, as follows: Troop D, 374; Troop A, 374; Troop F, 345.

Private Marshall of Troop A, Boston, won the first individual prize, a silver cup, with a score of 86. Private A. C. Mitchell of North Chelmsford, Troop F, took the second prize, a silver cup, also, with a score of 85. The two men of the state cavalry entitled to the "Distinguished Marksmen" medals came from Troop F, Private A. C. Mitchell, 85, and Private F. C. McMaster, 82.

The shooting of Corp. W. H. Quigley was one of the most remarkable performances of the day. Corp. Quigley is a member of Troop F and in the 500 yard contest, shot for eight consecutive bulls eyes. He missed the first two targets, therefore his score was but 46.

Capt. John J. Monahan, although he shot for 85 was outranked in the competition for a distinguished marksman's medal.

Kennedy's Oysterettes

The Oyster Cracker with a taste to it.

THE LIPTON CUP

WILL BE PLACED IN CUSTODY OF ATLANTIC YACHT CLUB.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—It has been decided that the Atlantic Yacht club shall be custodian of the $500 cup which Sir Thomas Lipton has offered for an ocean race from Sandy Hook lightship to the Needles, in May next.

The cup will be a challenge trophy and Sir Thomas hopes that it will become an international prize of prominence. He has been assured by distinguished yachtsmen that it may be raced for by famous ocean-going boats.

The Atlantic Yacht club will give three additional cups, one of the value of $500 to go to the first yacht finishing, one of $500 to go to the second yacht, and still another of $500 to go to the third boat.

The restrictions of the race will be few. Each yacht will take their own time at the finish and all allowance will be barred. Sir Thomas believes that the German Emperor may send his Meteor over for the race and that the American yachts probably will take part in the Dover-Heligoland contest and others at Kiel. It is believed also, that the King of England will be interested in the contest.

WOMEN FOUND

HELD AS WITNESSES IN THE PERLEMAN CASE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW LONDON, Conn., Oct. 9.—Nettie May, wife of Capt. John May, and her sister, Matilda Brown, or Clemando, were found at New Haven yesterday and later brought here. They are held as witnesses in the matter of the death of Charles Perleman, who hailed from New Jersey, and who was employed on a river boat.

Capt. May and his assistant, Paul Brown, are also held by the police.

Perleman's body was found in East New London last Saturday night.

The police say that they have learned that Perleman and the two women were out sailing shortly before Perleman disappeared.

LOTS OF TROUT FRY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RUMFORD FALLS, Me., Oct. 9.—A consignment of 82 cans of trout fry, each containing 150 fish, averaging two inches in length, from the United States hatchery at Green Lake, passed through here for the Rangley and Moosehemegantic lakes. This was the last shipment of the year from Green Lake. The same car brought 18 cans of salmon fry for the towns of Turner and Hartford.

COTTON PLANT

Is Later Than Was Expected

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Telegraphic advices from correspondents of the Mercantile Agency throughout the United States are summarized as follows:

Merchants generally are not anticipating requirements with the freedom heretofore noted, partly on account of weather and crop conditions and in part because of industrial slowing down. Car congestion is caused by relatively heavier western movement.

Dry goods at wholesale are moving from New York more slowly. The fall silk auction shows a better demand. Retail merchants in New England report a falling off and jobbers with southern connections a like situation in Atlantic coast states. Country merchants in spring wheat regions are still behind earlier anticipations.

The cotton plant has deteriorated and is later than anticipated. Indian corn is reported as secure from frost. Cold weather checks raisin curing in California.

Financial advices at large centres indicate that neither imports or bank loans are being curtailed and that indebtedness abroad is increasing. James H. Eckles, former comptroller of the currency, sends word that increased western bank loans, compared with last year, are not due to the banks carrying speculative accounts.

Arrangements for a general reduction of pig iron production cause better feeling among western consumers, but all finished iron and steel is quite dull, except wire products. United States Steel's confession to having over a million tons fewer orders than a year ago, while on January 1st, they had a million tons more than a year before, is taken as evidence that the general industrial life has turned and that a contest between producers and consumers in other lines may be expected. Pittsburg, however, reports a maximum volume of general trade. New England cotton mill are running on short time; some are storing products. There is no apparent check to labor disturbances.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON

LEFT NEW YORK FOR LONDON TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Sir Thomas Lipton sailed for England today, on the steamer Cedric. He said he was not feeling as well as he looked, but that he expected to gain strength on his way to England. He would not talk about the possibility of his challenging again for the cup.

The Cedric also carried J. Coleman Drayton, P. P. Whitaker, W. P. and W. H. Truesdale, president of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad.

NORTH BILLERICA.

An enthusiastic rally of the republicans of precinct two was held last night at the republican headquarters. There were about 100 voters present. The meeting was addressed by senatorial candidate Chester W. Clark of Wilmington; representative candidates William E. Westall of Lowell and Joshua D. Upton of North Reading. A musical and literary program was carried out during the evening which consisted of the following:

Song, Fort Hills; reading, John Brown; song, Charles E. Fairbrother; reading, Joseph Brown; song, Charles Bailey; recitation, Henry Brown. Remarks were also made by president of the club, Richard T. Perry, Selectman Charles H. Kohlhausch, Natt T. Hutchins, Roger Barrington and Ivory Hanson.

INSTANTLY KILLED

RAILROAD MAN MET WITH HORRIBLE DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Gordon Beattie, employed by the Boston & Maine railroad, was instantly killed about 5.35 last night in the yard at the junction of the Eastern and Western divisions in Charlestown, while in the act of coupling the air hose of two freight cars, one of which was part of a train that was backing down to a stationary car. His head and body were crushed and his arms and left leg were broken.

Beattie was about 30 years old and married, and lived in Swampscott.

FIFTEEN YEARS

FOR MAN WHO ASSAULTED LITTLE GIRL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALFRED, Me., Oct. 9.—William Nason, alias Pete Shackley of Springvale, who Wednesday pleaded guilty to felonious assault upon a 7-year-old girl, was sentenced in the supreme court yesterday to 15 years' imprisonment.

In pronouncing sentence Judge Peabody said: "I am as well aware that the public clamors for vengeance in this case as though I could hear the mob outside the courthouse door. The prisoner cannot live more than 10 years in state prison."

The judge expressed his sentiment as to the clamor for vengeance after County Atty. Emery, in arguing for the extreme penalty for the offence, which is confinement for life, had said:

"If such a crime were committed in the south the man would never reach a jail."

Nason was bound over to the grand jury from the Sanford municipal court. It was thought at one time that he would be lynched before the officers could get him to the county jail. He has served a sentence of five years in New Hampshire for attempted felonious assault.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

While Joseph Carpentier, a fruit peddler, was driving through Coolidge street, yesterday afternoon, he attempted to turn into Hall street, but turning too short, the wagon overturned and Joe and the contents of the wagon were dumped into the street. He was unconscious when picked up, his face and right side being badly bruised and scratched.

He was taken to a nearby store and revived and was afterwards taken to his home.

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ON THE SOCIAL EVIL

Shocking Conditions Admittedly Prevail in Cincinnati

Address of Mayor Fleischman Before Convention of American Municipalities at Baltimore

By Associated Press to The Sun

BALTIMORE, Oct. 8.—The convention of the League of American Municipalities resumed its session this morning. Among the addresses delivered were "Municipal Restriction of the Social Evil" by Mayor Julius Fleischman of Cincinnati; "Organized Labor and the Municipality" by Mayor Ignatius A. Sullivan, of Hartford, Conn., and "Municipal Statistics" by Hugo S. Grosser, municipal statistician of Chicago.

MAYOR FLEISCHMAN'S ADDRESS.

"In consenting to prepare a paper treating of the social evil I am fully aware that I have consented to a very difficult task for the more the question is considered the greater are the difficulties we meet. Nevertheless, the question must be met.

"What is the right policy to be adopted?

"Wise restraint and regulation must be combined with humanity to the fallen woman.

"It is not my intention in this paper to discuss the correctness of the policy adopted by the municipality of Cincinnati but rather to narrate what we have done and the results following on our work so far as we have gone.

"The work is of such a character that it must be done quietly, so as to not unnecessarily offend that class of our people who do not sympathize with us in what we are trying to accomplish.

"The state of public opinion is also to be considered. The insistence of one element is that regulation of the social evil is in fact, licensing and legalizing crime, and of another element that the evil is an existent fact to be regulated, but an evil beyond eradication under existing conditions of human nature.

"Several months after my induction into office, in 1900, the health officer reported to me that under the preceding administration certificates of health had been required of inmates of houses of prostitution, but that it had been a custom of some physicians to leave certificates, signed in blank, with the mistress of the house to be filled out as occasion might demand, or, rather, as the exigencies of the mistress might require.

"This examination, so-called, was a department playing no part whatever in it.

"The regulation was at once discontinued, and on Oct. 1, 1900, the first regular inspection of the health department began, the regular district physicians being assigned to the work of examination of prostitutes and of issuing to them certificates of inspection. As to results, the first week's inspection sent sixty women to the hospital, forty of the number having regulation of the police, the health syphilis in a contagious form. Yet all of them had certificates signed by practicing physicians, stating that they were free from disease. Manifestly, the preceding regulations were medically defective.

"Under the new plan a woman found diseased was immediately sent to the hospital and kept in that institution until discharged as free from disease in a contagious form.

"The number of women examined in houses of prostitution is, at this time, approximately four hundred and forty. In addition to that number there are some sixty women living in private apartments who submit to the examination conducted by the health department, making a total of five hundred examinations per week.

"The adoption of the present system brought out the first manifestation of outside opposition to the plan. A suit was brought by a taxpayer of the city, the ostensible object, of which was to test the right of the health department to make the examinations. The real object, manifestly, was to bring about a return to the old methods under which disreputable physicians had profited by the sale of blank certificates under the operation of which diseases continued to be spread and the intent of the regulation defied.

"The outcome of this suit was a decided victory for the city, embracing, therefore, the undoubted right of the health department to adopt and to enforce reasonable rules and regulations, if not for the restriction of the social evil, for the restriction of the means of spreading disease.

"The fundamental idea of this decision was that the regulations complained of by the plaintiff affected a class of persons whose commerce was vicious in itself and that such commerce was a public nuisance and might be suppressed or abated as such.

"Under the legal definition of the rights of the city it may be said that the policy of the city of Cincinnati is not restriction nor licensing of the social evil, but restriction of the spread of disease in the first instance, with the restriction of the evil as a possible incident to the adopted regulations.

"It is to be admitted that the question of the issuance of certificates is serious and open to argument, but it is denied that the issuance of a certificate is, in any degree, compromise with crime.

"In the work done the police department is the controlling influence, and without it the health department would be powerless. The police department looks to the mistress of the house of prostitution for the performance of her allotted share of the work. If these regulations are followed strictly and in good health, the mistress of the house is not molested by the police unless there is some open breach of the peace, and therein lies her safety, and, as a consequence, her protection. These houses are quietly conducted and as a rule confined to certain restricted boundaries. Music is allowed in houses of prostitution, but it must be stopped before midnight.

"If closing up the houses, by the stopping of music or of drinking, would result in the total suppression of the social evil, there would be overwhelming force in the argument.

"It is conclusive, in the light of all history of attempts to deal with the social evil, that its suppression is an impossibility. Therefore its regulation is the problem with which the people of today are confronted, and which the municipal authorities of Cincinnati are endeavoring to solve."

TO BEAT ROOSEVELT

THE ONLY CONCERN IN THE SOUTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BALTIMORE, Oct. 8.—When Mayor Smyth of Charleston, S. C., who is a delegate to the League of American Municipalities, was asked today if the South had any preference for the presidential nomination, he said:

"I would like very much to have the pleasure of voting again for Mr. Cleveland. The people of the South have no decided preference for any candidate, so far as I am able to ascertain.'

"How does Mr. Gorman stand in the South?" was asked.

"Mr. Gorman has no personal acquaintance with our people, and you know the personality of a man means a great deal with us. It is the same with Judge Gray of Delaware. The South has no candidate. It is anybody to beat Roosevelt, who is most cordially disliked on account of his attitude on the race question. Formerly he was popular with us. When he was in Charleston during the exposition he promised me, in the presence of two other gentlemen, that no colored man would be appointed to office in our state. He had hardly returned to Washington before he did the very thing he promised he would not do."

TILLMAN'S FEAR

Led Him to Secure a Pistol

TROUBLE WITH EDITOR GONZALES WAS EXPECTED

Col. Blease Testified at Tillman Trial

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, S. C., Oct. 8.—James Davis of Edgefield was on the stand when the trial of J. H. Tillman was resumed today. He said he did not hear the defendant make any threats in the presence of I. D. Black while riding on a train from Johnston to Columbia. On cross-examination he said he did not know Black.

Col. L. T. Blease was asked to state what was said in the defendant's room at the hotel in Columbia at the time Dr. Adams was present. He said he was reading editorials from the State, either on the night of August 29 or 31 of last year. He said Dr. Adams advised the defendant to go down to the State and whip Gonzales, and that Mr. Tillman replied that would not do as he was lieutenant governor and would be impeached. Asked as to the statement made on the stand by Dr. Adams, the witness said that Mr. Tillman said, "You boys need not worry, if he attacks me I'll snuff his life out with this."

Continuing the witness said that Tillman's response to something Gonzales was stated to have said about mock theatricals was that if he attempted to carry out one of his threats I'll make it the tragedy that ever occurred in South Carolina."

The witness said the remarks were made by the defendant in response to statements as to threats made to him. Asked as to whether he knew of the relations between Gonzales and the defendant, he said he heard Gonzales say he did not want to be in the same room with Tillman. He said he had heard Tillman say on several occasions that he wanted no difficulty with Gonzales. Mr. Tillman secured a pistol on the night of the campaign meeting in Columbia, the witness said, because trouble at the opera house was anticipated, and witness further said it was expected that Tillman was to be attacked by Gonzales.

J. A. Mahaffey, a member of the state legislature at the last session, said he saw a bottle neck stick out of the defendant's pocket at the State House as the defendant was about to leave there on the day before the shooting.

J. A. White and Richard Hutson testified that Gonzales told the former in the presence of the latter that he had use for Tillman show the white feather and would do so again. The latter witness gave his version of the shooting.

THE DAHLGREN DOCKED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The torpedo boat Dahlgren has been docked at Greenport, L. I., to repair damages made by the submarine torpedo boat Shark yesterday. The navy department received a telegram stating that the Dahlgren was leaking too badly to proceed to any other port, but that the vessel's pumps were controlling the water.

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GROUT'S REPLY

He Stands on His Record

HINRICHS ACCEPTS THE FUSION NOMINATION

Lynn Bruce is Also Willing

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Comptroller Grout issued a long statement today, in reply to the actions of the conventions last night. In his statement he charges the citizens' union with being under Senator Platt's rule and says he will fight his being taken off the ticket to the end. He ends his statement by saying:

"And, finally, I shall appeal to all fair-minded people to say whether a man whom they have known to be honest, shall be destroyed by the species of lynch-law and mob rule which has prevailed the fortnight past."

In part Mr. Grout says:

"All parties, all newspapers agreed that I have been an honest and efficient comptroller. I shall stand for reelection on that record, which all have approved. Before I went away on my vacation, I made known to some fusion managers, the very details of my private business affairs which made me unwilling to continue in office. Nevertheless, my renomination was forced by them in my absence. I accepted at Mr. Low's personal request, and in spite of every other inducement and argument. Then I was offered an endorsement by the democratic party. I did not seek it. I did not bargain, deal or dicker for it. I was not bought, sold, or gagged. I made no concealment of my belief that, if taken sanely, by the fusionists, such endorsement would help Mr. Low. And I am abused, outraged, expelled. Why? Because I say that the campaign should be fought by argument, by proofs, by appeals to reason, not by denunciation, bitter words and appeals to passion. I shall ask every tax-payer whose bill is reduced this year, to remember that it would not have been less if I had not been comptroller.

"As a democrat, I shall ask the democrats of this city to notice how this situation has been made at the direction of Platt and his crowd and to say whether this city shall thus be turned over to Platt. I believe that municipal business should be managed on its merits. I have so conducted it and will so continue if re-elected. The position of the republican machinists and of Mr. Cutting has become the acme of partisanship."

Frederick W. Hinrichs, who was nominated last night by the fusionists, for comptroller, said today that he would accept the nomination.

M. Lynn Bruce, chairman of the county republican committee, issued a statement today, in which he said that now the fusion ticket is complete, the campaign will run only on the line of "the continuance of good city government."

Mr. Bruce said: "The anti-Tammany ticket is now complete. The mistakes have been eliminated and all friends and supporters of clean, honest, and high-class city government are now united and aggressive in the fight to prevent a return to power of the combination for personal gain known as Tammany Hall.

"We shall fight this campaign on the only issue before the people, the continuance of good city government. Tammany is the common enemy, and against Tammany we shall fight to the end. The anti-Tammany forces enter the campaign confident of victory."

GRIPMAN'S BRIDE

IS REPUTED TO BE WORTH $700,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8.—Miss Harriet Floyd, heiress to a $700,000 estate, was married yesterday at Lakeport to R. M. Gopchevitch, recently a gripman on a street car railroad, but who says he is a Servian nobleman connected with the royal house of Obrenovitch. The marriage was a great surprise to all of Miss Floyd's friends.

Gopchevitch came here several years ago with letters to Capt. Richard Floyd, a retired officer of the United States navy, and Floyd helped the young Servian to get employment. He had no social relations with the Floyds, but recently met Miss Floyd on his car. He is a dark, handsome man, and he captivated the heiress with his beauty and his romantic tales of noble birth. She didn't even tell the friends she lived with of her proposed marriage.

Her estate is in the hands of trustees, who pay her two-thirds of the income, reserving the other third for repairs and expenses.

SHARP DECLINE

IN THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE SHARES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 8.—A sharp decline in American Telephone shares on large transactions was a feature of trading on the Boston stock exchange today. On sales of 50 shares the stock at the opening broke 3½ points to 119½, rallied to 123, around 11 o'clock and held steady around that figure during the second hour. At 1:30 o'clock the stock rose to 125½. The flurry was due to the reverse decision in the litigation with the Western Union Telegraph company, in which $600,000 or more is said to be involved.

WARRANT ISSUED

FOR THE ARREST OF GEORGE E. GREEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The criminal court today issued a bench warrant for the arrest of George E. Green, state senator of New York, recently indicted in connection with postal contracts.

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Again Elected National Head of Mule Spinners

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 8.—With the expectation of clearing up their business before night, the delegates to the National Mule Spinners' convention resumed their labors at 9 o'clock today with President Duggan of Lowell in the chair. The principal business remaining was the election of officers. The convention went into executive session on being called to order.

Resolutions were adopted, condemning Governor Bates for his veto of the eight-hour bill for city employes, his action being characterized as uncalled for and unwarranted. The resolutions also favored the enactment of a law to prevent the employment of women and minors in factories and workshops between the hours of 6 p. m. and 6 a. m., and condemning the action of the senators and representatives who voted against the bill referred to in the last session of the Massachusetts legislature.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Michael Duggan, Lowell.

Vice-president, Martin White, Dover, N. H.

Secretary, Samuel Ross, New Bedford.

Treasurer, Frank Mullocky, Pawtucket, R. I.

Executive board: Thomas O'Donnell, Fall River; James Cliffe, Pawtucket, R. I.; John Hollowell, New Bedford; Carl Scherberg, Manchester, N. H.; Patrick McInerney, Adams; Job H. Barker, Taunton; Urban Fleming, Holyoke; James McCann, Lowell; Patrick Daly, Lawrence.

Delegates to the United Textile Workers of America convention in Philadelphia, October 20: Michael Duggan, Lowell; John Golding, Fall River; James Cliffe, Pawtucket.

Delegate to the National convention of the American Federation of Labor: Samuel Ross, New Bedford.

The convention adjourned to meet in Boston the first Tuesday in April.

VERY MUCH ALIVE

Doctor Was Mourned as Dead

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—A special says: Silence reigned over the little group of Dartmouth men assembled last night to partake of their annual dinner in the rooms of the Drug Trade Club, No. 100 William street. The dinner waited and became cold. Everyone had read in the papers this short notice:

BEAUDOIN-BENNETT — Suddenly, Oct. 5, Mortimer Roland Beaudoin-Bennett. Funeral and interment private.

With bowed heads and in low tones the men were recalling many instances in the life of their friend who had passed away.

Suddenly the door burst open and Dr. Mortimer Roland Beaudoin-Bennett appeared before the diners and in a cheery voice called out: "Hello, boys; am I late?"

"We thought you were dead!" they exclaimed.

"Hardly," replied the doctor.

Then all gathered around the banquet table and the feast proceeded amid joking and laughter.

"I think," said Dr. Bennett, explaining the circumstances, "that one of my acquaintances has done this thing in order to furnish a sensational feature to our gathering. It was, perhaps, meant to be only a course of fun, but as it has caused my mother much alarm, it has ceased to be funny."

The doctor lives with his mother at No. 1433 Lexington avenue, and has been out of the city for the past few days. Yesterday when Mrs. Bennett read of her son's death, she was greatly shocked. Many flowers and telegrams of condolence were received at the residence.

Dr. Bennett married Miss Jeanne Martin about six years ago, but during the last two years they have lived apart, she living with her parents in Hoboken, L. I. Hearing the news of her husband's death she was much grieved, but her fears were put to rest by a telegram from Dr. Bennett.

BRITISH IRON TRADE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 8. Hugh I. Bell, managing director of the iron manufacturing firm of Bell brothers, of Middlesborough, speaking of the future of the British iron trade in competition with American combines, said that so far as his practical experience went, Mr. Chamberlain had not a single item of information to justify the opinion that he had formed. Mr. Bell added that similar forecasts of the ruin of the iron trade had been current for three centuries.

SPOT COTTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Cotton.—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands 9.00; middling gulf 9.25; sales 1200 bales.

THE SPOOK SUIT

Settled by Payment of $10,000

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—The payment of about $10,000 yesterday by Davis & Brown, lawyers for the heirs of Alida Vanderbilt Le Ban, a daughter of the late Commodore Vanderbilt, to Arthur P. Dodge, the inventor, marked the close of the famous suit which he instituted against her three years ago to collect $20,000 claimed as a balance on stock she had purchased in his "Kinetic motor."

The suit when filed attracted much attention owing to the prominence of the defendant, and to the answers she submitted to Dodge's charges. Mrs. Le Ban, believer in spiritualism and a medium, declared that she had been duped into buying the stock by a medium, Jeanette Danforth, who lived with her, and who frequently interpreted communications from the "land of spooks" to her.

Mrs. Le Ban declared that Mrs. Danforth had been bribed by Dodge to induce her to subscribe for stock in his invention. She finally did sign a contract whereby she was to become a partner in the concern and own an interest in all of the foreign patents upon payment of $100,000. Eighty thousand of this she paid, and then stating that she had become suspicious of her spiritualistic adviser, refused to pay the balance.

After stormy interviews Dodge brought suit. The case was postponed until this fall, then the compromise was decided upon.

At his home, No 261 West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, Mr. Dodge said:

"I am glad this affair is settled. I have been injured by the spooky stories circulated and by the insinuations that I was a spiritualist and had duped Mrs De Ban. These charges were made while I was in Egypt and Syria, and I had no opportunity to answer them. Poor Mrs. Le Ban is dead, and I dislike to make any statement that would cast discredit upon her. She was the old commodore's daughter, and right well did she represent her father. Shrewd and keen in business, she had the same indomitable will that characterized the founder of the Vanderbilt dynasty.

"She bought this stock in the motor company years before I ever met her or Mrs. Danforth. I invested all of my funds with the understanding that she would take up her stock as the company needed the money. This she refused to do when we became pressed for funds. I am and have been for years a sincere and earnest believer in the great and true cause of God, known as bahaism. Mrs. Le Ban never sued me for $80,000, nor did she ever lend me one cent."

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 8. Exchanges, $19,721,197; Balances, $1,299,711.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

NEARLY KILLED

Dr. and Mrs. Otis Allen Had Narrow Escape

Dr. Otis Allen the well-known dentist, and wife, had a narrow escape from being killed as the result of being thrown from their automobile in Billerica last night, after the machine had collided with three posts which had been left in the roadway. Both occupants of the machine were badly injured. Dr. Allen, though suffering considerably from bruises sustained, is able to be around today, but his wife is suffering considerable pain, and her nervous system has been shattered.

Last night about half past six Dr. and Mrs. Allen were returning from a trip in their automobile, which is propelled by electricity. The highway from the pump at Billerica Centre coming towards this city has recently been macadamized and makes a fine stretch of road, though there is a considerable down grade.

When this road was reached Dr. Allen shut off the power and allowed the momentum of the machine to carry it down the hill. It was rather dark there being no lights in the vicinity and when almost opposite ex-Senator Joshua Hobden's house Dr. Allen noticed a wagon in the middle of the road. In order to pass it he steered his machine between the wagon and the car track.

All of a sudden the machine crashed against some object in the road and came to a sudden stop. Mrs. Allen was thrown out on the highway, while Dr. Allen became wedged between the steering wheel and the seat of the machine and was thrown under the machine when it turned over.

When the occupants of the machine felt the shock they both shouted and the men who were in the wagon immediately rushed to their assistance. Mrs. Allen was picked up and carried into Mr. Hobden's house, and one of the men helped extricate the doctor from the wreck. The fact that the doctor had become wedged between the seat and the steering gear is probably the only thing that saved his life for when the machine turned over the full weight did not come on him.

Mrs. Allen was attended by a trained nurse who was at the Holden residence and later brought to her home in this city.

She was badly bruised about the lower limbs and side, a large hat which she was wearing at the time saving her face from being cut and bruised, for when she was thrown out of the machine the hat went down over her face. She suffered intense pain from the injuries received, though at the present time she is resting comfortably. The doctor sustained a number of scratches and bruises about the body, but was more fortunate than Mrs. Allen and outside of feeling a little stiffness in his limbs he is practically unhurt.

The machine which is practically a total wreck was dragged into Mr. Holden's driveway and left there until this morning when it was removed to a carriage shop in this city, but it will be impossible to repair the damage done.

An investigation by Dr. Allen this morning showed that there were three posts protruding from the roadway to a height of about two or three feet and the accident was caused by the machine coming in contact with them. It seems that the road was narrower before the double track was laid and that these posts supported a bar which was along the side of the old road where there was a culvert.

When the double track was laid the road was widened considerably and though the bar which was supported on the posts was removed the parties doing the work of repairing the road failed to remove the posts and left them protruding from the road, which made the road dangerous for travel.

WELLS P. KELLEY

Did Not Attempt to Enter House

Wells P. Kelley, who was shot at Camden, Me., Tuesday night, is still in the hospital there and is in a serious condition.

The doctors do not hold out very great hope for his recovery. His father, who is a grocer in this city, arrived home from Camden this morning and told a Sun reporter that the charge that his son was shot while attempting to enter the house of Mr. Packard is false.

He says that the officers found no evidence that Wells Kelley tried to gain an entrance into the house. Mr. Packard has been placed under arrest and is now out on bonds pending a hearing which will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

ANDOVER STREET

TEWKSBURY OFFICIALS HAVE NEGLECTED THE THOROUGHFARE.

The superintendent of streets of Tewksbury has given no attention yet to that portion of Andover street that lies in that town. Several of the property owners have placed that part of the street which their property fronts in excellent condition. J. T. Trull, Esq., M. F. Dockin and Patrick Kelley have given attention to the matter and if the town authorities would show the same spirit Andover street would be kept in a presentable condition

The many friends of Mr. Thomas F. Fitzgerald, who for some time has been confined to his home on Middlesex street with illness, will be glad to hear that he has fully recovered.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—Noon—Money on call easy at 2 1-2 per cent.; prime mercantile paper 6 a 6 1-2 per cent.

Exchanges $179,696,308.

Balances $8,493,585.

ROBERT CONROY

Elected Vice President of A. F. of L.

THE CONTEST WAS A SPIRITED ONE

The Convention Work is Completed

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 8—The delegates to the convention of the state branch, American Federation of Labor, found considerable business to dispose of when they assembled for the last day's session this forenoon. A large number of resolutions awaited action and it was expected the proceedings would extend well into the afternoon if the discussion continued without a limit.

Owing to the failure of the convention to elect fourth and fifth vice presidents yesterday it was arranged to take another ballot today. The vote yesterday was so close that no choice could be made.

Robert Conroy of Lowell was chosen fourth vice president and Henry G. Sterling of Boston fifth vice president.

After extending votes of thanks to the officers of the convention the local branch and the press, the convention adjourned sine die.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Cotton: Futures opened firm. Oct. 9.17; Nov. 9.21; Dec. 9.25, Feb. 9.34 bid; March 9.34; April 9.34 bid; May 9.35; June 9.37 bid; July 9.40.

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3 lb. can Baked Beans..... 7c
3 lb. can Bartlett Pears.....10c
10 lb. pail Cooking Lard.....90c

100 Common Crackers.....15c
2 lbs. Kennedy's Ginger Snaps 9c
Kennedy's Lemon Crackers..5c lb.
Kennedy's Nic Nac Crackers.....5c lb.
Kennedy's Wine Crackers, 8c lb.
Orange Cake.....9c lb.
Kennedy's Soda Crackers..5c lb.

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THE FUSIONISTS

Have Dropped Grout and Fornes From Ticket

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—So far as deliberate and emphatic repudiation can make it so, Edward M. Grout and Charles V. Fornes are on the Tammany ticket only. The "Cits" and the republicans in their city conventions threw them off theirs last night and named in their places Frederick W. Hinrichs of Brooklyn for comptoller, and Edward J. McGuire of Manhattan for president of the board of aldermen. There was a flurry in each convention. In that of the "Cits" another attempt was made to cause a stampede for Henry George. This time his friends desired to make him a candidate for president of the board of aldermen. R. Fulton Cutting had the convention well in hand and the candidates which had been agreed on were selected. In the republican convention, the work of getting rid of Grout and Fornes was prosecuted with great impressiveness.

The war between Tammany hall and the Brooklyn democracy went on with deadly intensity. John L. Shea, for Mr. McLaughlin, sent a letter to Tammany serving notice that Brooklyn would decline to participate in the notification of McClellan. Grout and Fornes on Saturday, if they were to be jointly notified. Brooklyn would only consent to attend a separate nomination of McClellan. The breach was widened in a startling way in the eastern district at night. The Seymour Democratic club, which is the home of P. H. McCarren's district organization, held a meeting and indorsed the entire Tammany ticket.

While the meeting was in progress, Martin W. Littleton, Brooklyn's orator in the city convention, and the Democratic candidate for president of the borough on Mr. McLaughlin's ticket, entered the hall, made a bitter attack on Grout and Fornes, lashed Tammany Hall, called on all democrats to knife the undemocratic nominees of Charles F. Murphy, and administered a rebuke to McCarren's followers for wanting to surrender the allegiance which they owe to the regular democracy.

The fight has gone too far to be stopped. Tammany must elect its ticket without the assistance of the Brooklyn democrats. So bitter is the feeling against Murphy that the McLaughlinites are willing even to swallow Mr. Hinrichs for comptroller rather than Grout.

William S. Devery completed his ticket last night and put forth his platform. The platform is drawn so as to catch the labor vote, and Mr. Devery's movement has become a menace to Tammany. For sheriff Devery will run Thomas Rock, president of district assembly 19, Knights of Labor, and for president of the board of aldermen J. W. Johnson, treasurer of Sam Parks' union.

The betting is now 10 to 9 on McClellan and even on Grout and Fornes.

Announcement was made at the Democratic club last night that John F. Ahearn, Tammany leader of the fourth assembly district, would be nominated for president of the borough of Manhattan at the borough convention this evening.

Civil Justice Herman Joseph was on Charles F. Murphy's slate last night for the nomination for sheriff, but it was not altogether certain that it would remain after the meeting of the Tammany executive committee today. Still it was said the chances favored Judge Joseph's nomination.

It is now said that the fight to protect Comptroller Grout, whom the Fusionists seek to depose as their candidate, will not be made in the courts, but in the board of elections. It is pointed out that the board of elections being bi-partisan and equally divided, can be deadlocked. This new line of defense for Grout, according to the story current in political circles, simply involves remaining inactive until the representatives of the republican party offer the certificates of nomination for filing and then deadlocking the board on the question of filing them.

An afternoon paper says that Robert B. Roosevelt, uncle of the president, is to be tendered the democratic nomination for president of the borough of Manhattan. John Fox, former president of the democratic club has been asked, according to the statement of the paper to call upon Mr. Roosevelt in behalf of Tammany and tender him the place. Robert B. Roosevelt is a democrat.

BIG CARPET MILL

At Stoneville Taken by the Hogg Company

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 8.—The Hogg Carpet & Manufacturing company, a Maine corporation capitalized for $1,500,000, is to take up, in the course of a few weeks, an option it now holds upon all the mill property and good will of the present Hogg Manufacturing company (William James Hogg & company) at Stoneville.

This is the corporation that secured last week for $75,000 the plant and business of the Hogg Carpet company, of which William F. Hogg, a son of William J. Hogg, was president. The new corporation, however, is composed of entirely new capital and is owned by a syndicate of New York men. It was deemed advisable to retain the old name.

The acquisition by the Hogg Carpet & Manufacturing company is but the first step in the company's plan for securing the entire Hogg interests at Stoneville, where it proposes to build up a business of at least three times the present capacity of the carpet mills.

10,000 MEN SENTENCED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 8.—A military journal says that 10,000 young men, eligible for military service, who have not reported for enlistment this year, have been sentenced in contumacy. It is presumed they are out of the country. This number is more than twice as many as usual. The military paper does not give any reasons for this extraordinary desertion, but it is probably due to the frequent publication of incidents of the brutality of non-commissioned officers and other privates in the army.

CHIEF JUSTICE FULLER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Among the passengers who arrived today on the steamer Majestic from Liverpool was Chief Justice Melville W. Fuller, of the United States supreme court.

INVITATION GOLF.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8—The invitation golf tournament in progress on the links of the Merion cricket club at Haverford has reached the second round of match play. Owing to the drawing it will be impossible for Mrs. C. T. Strout and Miss Rhona Adair to meet before Saturday, but in the event of their meeting, which now looks probable, each will have to defeat some excellent players. The most interesting contest scheduled for today was between Miss Margaret Curtis of Essex county and Miss Adair. The former is probably the best player in the country at the long game. Mrs. Charles T. Strout was first to start. She played with Miss Harley, the Fall River representative.

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ELLSWORTH HOME

Presented to the D. A. R. at Hartford

By Associated Press to The Sun

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 8—The Ellsworth homestead in Windsor, was formally presented to the Daughters of the American Revolution by the descendants of Oliver Ellsworth, third chief justice of the United States.

Prominent people from all parts of the state were in attendance and the occasion was made a notable one.

Mrs. Sara T. Kinney, state regent of the Connecticut D. A. R., presided at the exercises.

After an invocation by Bishop Chauncey B. Brewster, an address of greeting was made by Gov. Chamberlain, who reviewed the achievements of Oliver Ellsworth and praised the work of the D. A. R., in honoring his memory.

Letters of regret from President Roosevelt, Chief Justice Fuller of the United States Supreme Court; Senator George F. Hoar, President Hadley of Yale university; Chief Justice Davis Torrance, of the Connecticut Supreme court, and Associate Justice Simeon E. Baldwin of the last named court were read.

Increased interest was added to the day's exercises by the fact that every living descendant of Oliver Ellsworth had united in making the transfer of the property to the D. A. R.

The place is valued at about $5,000 and has been restored by the Daughters, who have fitted it with rare old furniture and made it beautiful in every way.

William W. Ellsworth of New York, made the formal presentation to which Mrs. Kinney responded.

BRITISH FLAG TATTERED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—A British flag that had been cut into ribbons was found hanging about the base of the satue of Nathan Hale in City Hall Park today. Attached to it was a card bearing the inscription:

"Lest we forget. S. A. R."

Police Captain O'Brien ordered the flag removed and began an inquiry for the person who placed it there.

THE QUESTION BOX.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DOVER, N. H., Oct. 8.—The election of officers and delegates to the national convention and the reading of more reports of officers took up a large part of the time at today's sessions of the state convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in this city. Miss C. F. Thompson of Epping gave an account of the work of the Young Women's branch during the year, while Mrs. Sarah D. Libby of Warner reported as secretary of the Loyal Temperance Legion. There was a question box and an hour was spent in listening to reports by county presidents. Miss M. E. Partridge, chairman of the committee on resolutions, then reported for that committee.

MESSAGES OF SYMPATHY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 8.—Hundreds of telegrams of condolence have been received by Mrs. Hissell, widow of the late Postmaster-General Wilson S. Bissell. Among them are dispatches from President Roosevelt, Secretary Cortelyou, Grover Cleveland, D. S. Lamont, Hilary A. Herbert, John G. Carlisle, Arthur A. Hadley, John D. Rockefeller and Don M. Dickinson.

GIFT OF EMPRESS

A Gold Tea and Coffee Service

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 8.—Lieut.-Colonel Sir John Burgerine (retired), formerly of the Grenadier Guards, who brought the former Empress Eugenie on his yacht, in the face of a terrific storm, from Deauville, France (to which place she had been conveyed in a carriage belonging to the late Dr. Thomas W. Evans, the American dentist of Paris) was married at St. George's church, Hanover Square, today, to Kate, daughter of John Gretton, member of parliament for South Derbyshire. The empress sent the couple a regal wedding gift, consisting of a gold tea and coffee service.

Ex-Empress Eugenie immediately after the revolution in Paris, September 4, 1870, hurriedly left the Tuileries and escaped from France. She landed at Ryde, Isle of Wight, September 9, 1870, and shortly afterwards joined the late Prince Imperial at Hastings, England. Camden House, Chislehurst, was subsequently selected as a residence by the imperial exiles. The emperor, Napoleon III, died there January 9, 1873, and in 1879 the prince imperial, who had accompanied the British army in the Zulu war, was killed. His body was brought to England and buried at Chislehurst.

HART ELECTED

IS A DIRECTOR IN SHIP-BUILDING COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—At the annual meeting in Jersey City of the American Ship-building company, Frank W. Hart was elected a director to succeed W. T. C. Carpenter. Other directors were re-elected. Officers also were re-elected with the exception of R. L. Ireland, vice-president, who was succeeded by James C. Wallace, Robert Logan was elected assistant general manager.

The annual report submitted by President W. L. Brown shows for the year ended June 30 a decrease in net earnings of $29,749. Added to this the company paid out the sum of $228,000 in the shape of a dividend to common stockholders this year, which it was decided did not appear in the previous annual report. But $418,527 was charged to depreciation and maintenance and $372,559 to the rebuilding of dry dock and repairs. The surplus for the year shows a decrease of $315,502, but the total surplus has been increased to $3,567,200 by the amount remaining for the year.

DICKINSON'S SPEECH

STRONG ARGUMENT RELATIVE TO BOUNDARIES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 8.—The last day of the public hearing of the arguments before the Alaskan Boundary commission opened with practically no spectators present. Jacob M. Dickinson of American counsel, continued his speech for America's "unbroken claim or title" to the disputed coast. Mr. Dickinson made a forcible plea that all the evidence established the fact that the boundary should be drawn around the heads of the bays and inlets.

When Mr. Donaldson has concluded this afternoon the commission will adjourn until Monday, when it will hold its first private session to consider its verdict.

GOVERNOR BATES

WAS GUEST AT THE AGRICULTURAL FAIR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Oct. 8.—After an inspection of public institutions in this city, Gov. Bates and party, including Lieut.-Gov. Guild and Mrs. Bates and Mrs. Guild, together with the members of the executive council and their wives, were guests at the Three County Agricultural fair, this afternoon. The governor was escorted to the fair grounds by Co. A of the Second U. S. cavalry, from Fort Ethan Allen, which appears in drills at the fair and was received by the officers of the society. The great throng of spectators welcomed the chief executive and listened to a brief address by him. Lieut.-Gov. Guild also spoke briefly.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Oct. 8.—Before the convention of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. of Massachusetts and Rhode Island closed today, Cambridge, Mass., was selected as the meeting place of the society next year.

The following executive committee was announced: Mrs. O. H. Durrell, Cambridge, Mrs. G. A. Crown, Everett; Mrs. E. L. Green, Lancaster; Mrs. W. F. Andrews, Springfield; Mrs. O. L. Bartlett, Pittsfield, Mrs. A. M. Pickford, Lynn, Mrs. A. C. Howland, New Bedford; Mrs. C. P. Faunce, Fall River; Mrs. G. H. Fowler, Pawtucket, R. I. Before the delegates separated they visited the places of interest around North Adams.

CONTROLLING INTEREST SOLD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Maine, Oct. 8.—Controlling interest in the barkentine Jessie MacGregor has been sold by J. S. Winslow & Co. of this city to Captain Theodore G. Crum, owner and commander of the bark Lillian. The terms were private. The MacGregor will sail in a few days to a southern port for lumber. She will be used in the southern lumber carrying and West India trade.

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And gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, greatest of skin cures.

SOLD SUPPLIES

Officers Made Good Job of It

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANILA, Oct. 8—1.15 p. m.—It is now learned that George Herman and C. J. Johnson, the constabulary officers stationed at Misamis, Mindanao, now fugitives from justice, not only took $26,000 in cash from the safe, but also turned most of the supplies into cash before their dramatic exit on the vessel they appropriated. They took the steamer Victoria of 35 tons register, and got soldiers aid from the steamer Victoria by threatening the captain at the point of a revolver, to carry them to Balingasag, a town on the north shore of the island. There they procured food and water before putting to sea again. They should have reached Sandagan, Borneo, today. A cable was sent to the governor of Borneo advising him of their departure and he at once dispatched the coast guard steamer Ranger to look out for them.

Herman, who was recently promoted to a captaincy, was formerly a non-commissioned officer in the Ninth Infantry. He comes from Philadelphia.

Johnson, a lieutenant, was formerly a non-commissioned officer in the 6th infantry. He is a native of Mosaic, Pa.

SHANGHAIED BOY

Taken in Charge by the Customs Inspector

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—Moses Smallwood, a colored boy from Georgia, who claims to have been shanghaied on board the Russian bark Alice in Savannah last July, arrived on the Majestic today. A customs inspector was detailed to meet the ship down the bay and take Smallwood before the United States district attorney here, who will see that he is sent back to Savannah to testify against the two boarding house keepers whom he charges with shanghaing him.

SITUATION IN COREA

DOES NOT CAUSE ANY UNEASINESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 8.—The Japanese minister here, Baron Hayashi, today described the announcement made by London Daily Mail's correspondent at Kobe, Japan, that Baron DeRosen, the Russian minister to Japan, had presented a note to the Japanese government contending that Japan had no right to interfere in the question of the evacuation of Manchuria and proposing the partition of Corea between Russia and Japan, as being "fantastical and unworthy of consideration."

The news from Kobe, the minister says, is about as unreliable as news at Shanghai. He reiterated that there was nothing in the situation in Corea to occasion uneasiness.

"I have not heard and I do not believe," added the Japanese minister, "that Russia has intimated her refusal to evacuate Manchuria and that she has refused to allow Japan to interfere with her occupation. I see nothing in the situation at the present moment that supports the reports of a warlike attitude on the part of either Russia or Japan."

TALE OF MURDER

SALOON STEWARD ASSAULTED THE SECOND STEWARD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—The police of the Fulton street station, Brooklyn, are interested in the story of an alleged murder on board the Brazilian steamship Tennyson on her last voyage to this port. Herbert Montell, the saloon steward, who is a prisoner in Raymond street jail awaiting trial for a felonious assault on Charles Eldred, the second steward, is their authority for the murder story.

Montell has told the police that on the last trip from Brazil one of the firemen was murdered. There was a row one night, he said, in the firemen's room and one of the firemen, who was struck in the face with a shovelful of live coals, ran up the ladder to get on deck and complain to the captain. While he was still on the ladder some one struck him twice on the head with an iron bar, killing him almost instantly. A few hours later the body was thrown overboard.

Montell says that he got the information from one of the officers of the ship. The steamer is now at sea, having sailed on Monday soon after Montell's arrest.

ROBBED BOXES

TWO YOUNG MEN HELD FOR SUPREME COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BANGOR, Me., Oct. 8—William DeWitt, alias William DeCosta (colored) of Troy, N. Y., and Charles Redmond, aged 16, of Stockton Springs, Me., who were arrested by the police last night charged with rifling the offering boxes in St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, were before the police court today and pleaded not contendere to the charge. DeCosta was held in $600 and Redmond in $500 for their appearance at the February term of the supreme court. They were unable to furnish bail and were committed to jail.

According to the confession of Redmond they have been rifling the offering boxes in many Catholic churches in this state during the past two weeks.

BARNES INDICTED

FOR THE MURDER OF ASAHEL W. DUNTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KEENE, N. H., Oct. 8—An indictment which charges murder in the first degree was reported here today against Malachi Barnes, who, it is alleged, caused the death of Asahel W. Dunton at East Sullivan on Sept. 19. The bill was one of many returned by the Cheshire county grand jury. It is probable that Barnes will be tried at a special session of the court in December or January.

Dunton lived with Malachi Barnes and Mrs. Barnes at East Sullivan. On the night of the assault Mrs. Barnes and Dunton were in the sitting room when the assailant suddenly entered, knocking down Mrs. Barnes and fracturing Dunton's skull by striking him with an iron instrument. The latter's death occurred within a few days. Subsequently Barnes was arrested, charged with the murder.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE—Will J. L. Smith who got Boston trip book at S. Scott's piano return book and avoid further trouble.

DOUBLE STAMPS, BLUE—All this week, 50 with a pound of Baking Powder, 50 with a pound of Tea, 50 with a pound of coffee. Double stamps on crockery and glassware. Dickson's tea store, 64 Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON. The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

HELP WANTED

AGENTS WANTED. To sell a high grade office specialty to banks and business houses. Liberal profits and permanent trade. Harper & Co., Camden, N. J.

WANTED—A girl to do housework. Apply 52 Central street.

WANTED—An experienced box nailer and nailer; also 3 experienced log makers. A. A. Flint's box factory, Tyngsboro, Mass.

WANTED—Woman to take care of two children. C. H. I. rear 31 Coburn street.

BARBER wanted. Sun building.

WANTED—A table girl at 31 Stackpole street.

WANTED—Experienced cook at Osgood's, 50-51 Hunt corp.

WANTED—Middle aged Catholic lady to do general housework; must be sober and upright. Call after 6 o'clock evenings at 36 Chamber street.

TABLE GIRL wanted at 539 Market street.

WANTED—Young men to learn polishing trade. Apply at Stover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—Two smart, experienced kitchen girls at 53 Lee street.

WANTED—Lady agents not over 35 by a gentleman having a good article for sale. Willie R. Stone, general delivery, Lowell.

AGENTS for accident and health insurance; large commissions to energetic solicitors; attractive policies; low premiums, applications easily obtained. Imperial Registration Co., 11 Broadway, New York.

TO MANUFACTURERS—Special inducements will be offered to manufacturers locating factories in a southern seaport city, the location of which is unexcelled for the speedy and economical distribution of manufactured products by rail or water to the largest consuming centres of the United States and foreign countries, it being only about 300 miles from New York city by sea, well furnished and require good references. For further information address "Development," care The Sun, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Six good carpenters. Apply at 11 Wilson street or 119 D street.

WANTED—A middle-aged woman to keep house for two people and one child; good home to the right party. Call this evening and Sunday, rear 124 High street.

WANTED—Housegirl at Employment office, 584 Gorham street.

TO LET

TO LET—Five-room tenement, hot and cold water, bath and pantry. Inquire rear of 201 South street.

TO LET—Warm, sunny tenements for the winter: Middlesex street, 3 rooms, $7.50 per month; 4 rooms, $8, and 6 rooms, $10. Marshall street, 3 rooms, $3.50. Beside Northern depot, 3 rooms, $3, and 4 rooms, $9. Concord street, 3 rooms, $3.50, and five rooms, $7.50. Centralville, 5 rooms, $6.50. Every one of the above is in first-class condition and we invite your inspection. T. H. Elliott, 91 Central street.

TO LET—A store in Little Canada, corner Aiken and Chenery streets; this store can be used as an office. Mrs. J. B. Chagnon, 18 Decatur street.

TO LET—Three or four room tenement, use of bath, hot and cold water. 194 Bridge street.

TO LET—Pleasant upstair tenement of 7 rooms; pantry, bath and good piazza; separate doors; at 338 Fairmount street, junction of Rogers. Apply 341.

TO LET—Desk room in one of the best fitted up offices in Lowell; steam heat, 'phone, large safe, etc. Inquire at rooms 47 and 48 Central block.

TO LET—Half double house, 110 Sixth street, 8 rooms; on car line. Apply 69 Myrtle street.

TO LET—An apartment of five rooms with bath and modern conveniences. 35 Branch street, corner Nesmith street.

TO LET—Nice 7 room cottage on State street. Inquire at 75 Tyler street.

TENEMENTS TO LET—On Ludlow street, containing five rooms, with bath, pantry and large yard. Inquire on premises or Wm. Clements, 414 Broadway.

TO LET—Steam heated rooms, gas and bath at 259 Gorham street.

TO LET—Cottage house on Batchelder's court. Key and information at next door.

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WANTED—By a dressmaker, to go out sewing by the day; terms moderate. Address Dressmaker, Sun office.

WANTED—At once; position by an experienced bookkeeper. Best of references. Address, W., Sun office.

ENGINEER, second class, wants position, 15 years' experience with high speed and compound engines; also experienced with heating engines. Address Engineer, Sun office.

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WANTED—A situation as maid or pastry cook; restaurant preferred. Inquire 290 Appleton street.

WANTED—A situation as housekeeper by widow with child 6 years old; very reliable housekeeper and first-class cook; in good family; none others need apply. Address X. Y. Z., Sun office.

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FOR SALE—An English rabbit hound trained for hunting; good watch dog. Apply 17 D street.

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FOR SALE—Small lodging house for sale cheap for cash. Inquire 329 Middlesex street.

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FOR SALE—Cheap, nice chiffonier bed. Apply 22 Third avenue, Pawtucketville; upstairs.

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RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 35c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c. bacon markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c. per line. J. M. Fellows, 158 Merrimack St.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Gold chain bracelet on Merrimack or Central streets Wednesday afternoon. Reward for return to 54 Worcester street.

LOST—Between O'Donnell's and Kirk street, Lole's pocketbook with sum of money Tuesday afternoon. Return 47 Schaler street.

LOST—Small picture pin somewhere between Coburn street and Hamilton mill. Reward for return to 99 Coburn street.

LOST—Pocketbook in 5 and 10 cent store Tuesday afternoon. If the lady who picked it up will return same to 5 and 10 cent store she will receive reward.

LOST—Saturday evening, purse containing small sum of money between John Nolan's residence and Chapel street. Finder rewarded at Sun office.

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YOUNG MEN to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; also surely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamp. Department 31 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg, New York.

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Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Oct. 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

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Two verdicts rendered in superior court yesterday afford ample proof of the wisdom of keeping dangerous dogs muzzled or else out of the way where they can do no harm.

The mule spinners have decided to investigate child labor in Lowell. This is a good idea. Sift the matter to the bottom and produce the proof if any there be, of the charges made that the law is being violated in regard to child labor in this city.

The Pelham Sing has become an established custom in Pelham and one which it is well to cherish as elevating and inspiring to the entire town. Whatever of sorrow, of adversity or disaster the town may have suffered during the year is forgotten on the day of Greeley's sing and all join in swelling the grand volume of ecstatic harmony that makes the welkin ring.

TEMPERANCE INSTRUCTION IN SCHOOLS.

The very commendable effort to have temperance instruction in the schools has met with a serious setback in Pennsylvania where the State Medical society has issued a pronunciamento against the text books used. A special committee of the society reports that after examining fifty-four text books, it finds those supervised by the W. C. T. U. most reprehensible in the matter of misstating the actual nature of alcohol and alcoholic drinks.

The committee very properly says that there is nothing to be gained by teaching that alcohol is a rank poison and that those who taste it are sinners. The pupil will sooner or later learn the truth and if he finds that his teacher misstated facts, much of the good effect of her other work in the pupils' behalf will be discredited or nullified.

PROFESSOR LANGLEY'S AIRSHIP.

For some years past Professor Langley, secretary of the Smithsonian Institute, has been studying hard upon a scheme for an airship, one that was to eclipse all other efforts at aerial navigation. Professor Manley, who had assisted Professor Langley in his exhaustive study, ventured to make the ascent, but was dumped into the Potomac river after the flying machine had been impelled about 100 yards by the initial impetus. It was dragged out a total wreck, and the whole affair was quite as amusing as the adventure of Darius Green and his "flying masheen."

The Langley flying machine was made of steel and was sixty feet long, to be worked by a gasolene motor, assisted by large wings twelve by twenty-two feet.

The sudden descent of the machine from the launching elevation indicates that although it cost Professor Langley years of laborious effort, yet it has not a single fundamental principle of a real flying machine. The efforts of Santos Dumont in France met with fair success, and his idea of the essentials of an airship seem to be fairly correct. Langley's design, however, is evidently wrong in principle and utterly absurd as proved by yesterday's trial. He is said still to have faith in his invention, but that is the case with the author of every crazy notion, no matter how great the failure.

If we are soon to have airships we are convinced that they will not be of the Langley type.

CHAMBERLAIN'S DECEPTION OF BALFOUR.

One of the shrewdest and yet one of the meanest political tricks ever played by a politician was perpetrated upon Premier Balfour by Joseph Chamberlain, when the latter induced the premier to swerve from the free trade policy to a position colsely allied to that now held by Chamberlain himself.

Balfour changed his attitude in regard to free trade in order to hold Chamberlain in the cabinet, but by so doing he lost the support of men almost equally influential and important in his cabinet, such, for example, as the Duke of Devonshire. Then when Balfour had almost disrupted his party by publishing his views in favor of a certain form of protection, while his party was astounded at his assaults upon free trade, Chamberlain submitted his resignation on the ground that he was not in accord with the Premier on the tariff question and could not continue in the cabinet. At that same time, however, Mr. Balfour was more at odds with the rank and file of his supporters than he was with Chamberlain.

Thus Chamberlain left Balfour standing as if were upon an isolated rock in the ocean with the waves threatening to engulf him, and had not the king come to his rescue the prime minister must have gone down in the seething elements that assailed him.

Chamberlain has started upon his campaign and he is making an equally shrewd appeal to the people, attempting to convince them that England is falling behind the United States and Germany in her industrial status, and if he can convince the people of this and convince them that a protective tariff will restore England's industrial and commercial prestige, he will have won his battle and paved the way for his becoming prime minister of England.

There is no doubt that Chamberlain will stir the people to a demand for a radical change in the fiscal policy of England, and that sooner or later a system of protection and trade reciprocity will be established as a result.

THE PRESENT IMMIGRATION LAW.

The New York Chamber of Commerce has come out strongly against the present immigration law, claiming that it leaves to the steamship lines at the ports of departure too much discretion in the examination of intending immigrants.

This power, it is claimed, should rest mainly with the United States authorities, and an appeal is made for the repeal of the present law and the enactment of a more restrictive measure.

Under the act of 1895 the United States consuls at the ports of embarkation had jurisdiction over the immigrants allowed to embark for this country. Furthermore, the manifest sheets containing the names and information concerning the passengers were sworn to by the captain and surgeon of the ship before the United States consuls prior to sailing.

The new law passed, March 3 of the present year, provides that the oath, formerly taken before the U. S. consuls prior to sailing, is now taken before the immigration commissioners in the ports of arrival.

The consuls at the port of embarkation have now little or no supervision over the list of passengers, and this is the main point of the new law to which objection is taken.

It is claimed that under this arrangement a large number of undesirable immigrants have been landed on our shores during the past year, and that under the present law any nation in Europe can ship its paupers and criminals to this country. While such a thing may be barely possible to a limited extent, still matters are not quite as bad as represented by the New York Chamber of Commerce, but nevertheless it is to our interest in order to guard against the influx of undesirable immigrants, against the coming here of diseased persons and against smugglers to have the passengers scrutinized not only by the American consuls at the ports of embarkation but also by American doctors who can guard especially against the importation of diseases.

It is undeniable that the present law is too loose and unguarded to attain the best results. It can and should be improved.

SEEN AND HEARD

The poet is born; the poetess maid.

Even a man of high degree may be taken down by a stenographer.

Women are far more heroic than men—they back off a street car.

Going behind the bar is often the result of going before the bar.

It's a lucky thing for some men who claim to be the architects of their own fortunes that there were no building inspectors around.

Jokes in New York theatres must be pretty tough when one of them killed a a spectator Tuesday night. Are there any such death-dealing jokes buried from Lowell playhouses?

We hear much about the state of the apple crop, but that useful household fruit, the grape, is overlooked. Grapes are scarce this year, and consequently there will be a lack of home "fels."

The strict observance by othodox Jews of their religious feasts, as was seen in Lowell last week, recalls the Jewish ideas on the meat question. Most of Lowell's beef comes from the west, but the Jews do not eat it. They are compelled by their religon to consume beef that is slaughtered nearer home, and have no use for meat that has been slaughtered more than 72 hours. The Jewish "Kosher" beef is killed by a rabbi. The animal is first strung up by hind legs. A strap is then placed around his nose and by a pulley arrangement the head is thrown back completely exposing the throat. The rabbi, armed with a long, sword-like knife, then severs the juglar vein and the creature is left for several hours for the blood to flow out. The Jews in Lowell consumes a great many fowls also. They have a number of slaughter houses here.

To old residents in that vicinity it occasioned no surprise to hear that an old sewer had been discovered in Cross street. In the early history of Lowell, the lower end of cross street, especially that part near the "city yard," was low and marshy, and the present surface is "made land." Indeed, the "city yard" was the city dump and was used as a dump till the early 70's. At one time the Machine Shop dumped there, and many an "Acre" boy gathered old iron there and earned an honest penny by selling the junk to "Amby" Ready. The Machine Shop refuse was a veritable Klondike those days, but the bosses of the "big shop" have grown wiser since, and its refuse is not so rich in "pay dirt."

"If "Mike" Mahoney turns down McKinley, which he is likely to do, and graces the state senate with his presence, we may loook for Lowell needs being pressed in oratory. Mr. Mahoney is a graduate of a school of elocution and a reader and actor of merit, as thousands can testify. He will fitly represent our great industrial community on the floor of the senate.

Automobiles are expensive luxuries. According to a local owner of one of these vehicles, the first cost is insignificant compared with the cost of repairs and the time consumed in keeping the "auto" in running order. "My machine is a standard make," he said, "and I bought it new from the manufacturers at a large cost, but I am continually compelled to pay for repairs, small in detail, but large in aggregate. I am satisfied that an automobile is not the vehicle for a person of moderate means."

$150,000,000 MORTGAGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 9.—A mortgage for $150,000,000, given by the Lehigh Valley railroad to the Girard Trust company of Philadelphia, was filed yesterday in the office of the record of deeds for the issue of general consolidated bonds which was lately authorized by the directors.

Putnam & Son Co.

166 Central Street

Concerning Clothes

WE wonder if the men to whom the many clothing advertisements are addressed ever think of the different degrees of tailoring — and there are degrees — or that some organizations employ only skilful tailors, masters of their craft — who command the highest price for their labor — while others content themselves with the cheapest workmen; cheapest for obvious reasons? After all it is the labor that counts for most in clothes. The man who pays a good many dollars for his suit gets more than mere fancy's worth: he gets the carefullest work of the carefullest tailors. The suit you pay $30 for will have more tailoring put into it than the one for $20. You can't get something for nothing, or all of all the best for a little.

In reckoning clothes values, remember what we have written, it applies here; everywhere; dollar for dollar's worth, this store is giving clothing values that wins it new friends every day — 'twas never stronger with the right kind of friend winners than at this moment.

ROGERS, PEET & CO.,

send us the carefullest tailored ready-to-wear clothing in the world. Clothes ready-to-put-on that are in a class by themselves. Merchant tailoring methods of the best sort have been applied on an enormous scale to the production of ready-made — by these people — and they have revolutionized the business. Today three-fourths of the men to whom we sell Rogers-Peet's clothes have been accustomed to having suits made to order. They find this new way of getting clothes ever so much easier, more satisfactory, and far less expensive. We have now twenty-seven lots of Rogers-Peet's winter suits in fine cheviots, worsteds and blacks and blues ready for men who wish the best that money will pay for

$15 to $30 a suit

MEN'S WINTER SUITS,

for $10, $12 and $15, and we believe these are unquestionably the best suits ever shown for the price asked. These are all from cloths of our own selection — strictly all wool and in a very wide range of the newest colorings and handsomest patterns of today. With the fancy patterns superior qualities of black Thibets, unfinished worsteds and black worsted cheviots, cut by the latest patterns, tailored in our own shops, this moderate-priced clothing we stand back of, and guarantee to the fullest extent. The coats are in single and double breast sacks with the new close fitting collar and narrow graceful lapels. It is excellent clothing, of a distinct character, and, values considered, from $2 to $5 less in cost than others ask — our prices

$10, $12 and $15 the suit

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS,

that have created a furore with young men' We've got a new maker on these goods and he knows his business. He can give them all "cards and spades" and beat them hands down. If you're young—and haven't found suits that were up to your ideas of style, there's a great treat for you here. There's style in every inch of this young men's clothing, from coat collar to trousers hem. It's a trifle more than up-to-date in patterns of cloth and cut—and when it comes to fit, you'll admit, if you try it, you've never seen clothes fit as well. Sacks single or double breast; short and trappy; trousers big at the thigh, small at the foot; it's a great line—

$10 to $20 for this sort

Notice to Mothers of Boys

Though we believe our policy in regard to returns has had more influence than any one thing in building up our great business in men's clothing, we often forget that new customers, and especially mothers of boys, are not familiar with our methods. The key note of our policy is that no customer shall think that he or she has the worst end of any bargain with us. Anything bought in our store may be returned at any time, if unused, and no questions asked. If anything proves unsatisfactory after use, you alone shall judge of the service the thing should give, and we will take it back, refund the money, less what you say it has been worth to you. Under these conditions are we careful what we offer? Rather.

For Boys 3 Years to 6

there's nothing more juvenile than Russian blouse suits. The little frocks are made with the new Eton collar, with broad Sailor collars or with the military standing collar. These Russian suits of pretty cheviots or navy blue, brown and red serges, prices from

$3.50 to $7.00

For Boys 4 Years to 10

there's choice between Sailor blouse suits; the latest a double breast jacket with Eton collar, and Knickerbocker trousers, or the Sailor suit with deep collar plain or trimmed with silk braid, or the plaited and belted Norfolk suit. New colorings in cheviots, navy blue, brown and cadet blue serges and rough cheviots—these suits cost from

$2.00 to $7.00

For Boys 8 Years to 16

there's more latitude than in former years. The two-piece suit has been revived; a smart cut double breast jacket, quite like the young man's sack—with plain short trousers. The Norfolk suit made with plain or Knickerbocker breeches. The College cut three-piece suit, a single breast jacket, smartly cut away, with vest and short trousers. These three styles are equally desirable and we offer them in a large variety of new and very handsome cheviots, heavy plain serges, black and blue pure worsted serges and also in Thibets.

The prices as low as $2, $2.50 and $3.00, with the greatest showing from

$4.00 to $9.00

Other Things for Boys

Boys' Fall Weight Reefers	$2.50 to $6.00
Boys' Fall Top Coats	$2.50 to $6.00
Boys' Separate Winter Trousers,	25c to 95c
Boys' Winter Neglige Shirts	45c to 75c
Boys' Fancy Bosom Shirts	45c to 85c
Boys' Trimmed Night Shirts	46c
Boys' New Domet Night Shirts	46c
Boys' Underwaists	23c to 48c
Boys' Waists and Blouses	23c to 89c
Boys' Fleeced Underwear	23c to 48c
Boys' Wool and Jersey Underwear	48c
Boys' Heavy Sweaters	38c to $1.50
Boys' Golf Caps	12 1-2c to 50c
Boys' Sailor Caps	25c to $1.39
Boys' Mohair Tams	25c to 65c
Boys' Heavy Gloves	23c to 45c
Boys' Street Gloves	95c
Boys' Heavy Cotton Stockings,	8c and 12 1-2c
Boys' New Silk Bows	10c

OLD SOLDIER SUED

He Promised to Marry His Erstwhile Housekeeper

She Values Her Wounded Affections at $3000 — A Writ Was Served Yesterday

Because, she says, Sylvanus C. Smiley didn't keep his promise to marry her, Elizabeth R. Fulton has sued him for breach of contract. The writ was served yesterday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Clark and the amount of damage named is $3000.

Mr. Smiley is janitor at Post 120 hall and is prominent in Grand Army circles. Miss Fulton was Mr. Smiley's housekeeper for eight or 10 years and while serving in that capacity she alleges that Mr. Smiley promised to marry her and that he does not intend to fulfil his promise.

Both parties are well along in years. Mr. Smiley lives in Washington street. The writ is made returnable on the first Monday of November at the superior court in Cambridge.

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The leather with an enameled appearance and a glove leather feel. Strong and glossy, soft and pliable. Known by this trade mark in the shoes.

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Wolff Process Leather Co., Philadelphia.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

INTEREST IN THE FIRST ISSUE OF THE REVIEW.

The first number of the High School Review made its appearance yesterday. The contents of the paper are as follows: A new front page design has been made by Schyler Waller, a student and artist on the paper.

The contents of the paper are as follows. "Love Will Find a Way," a story; "How Sarah Jane Went to the Wedding," a story; "When Riches and Poverty Meet," a story; exchanges, personal, commercial department, editorial, athletics, etc.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE.

The following is the schedule of games to be played by the High school football team during the season:

Oct. 10, Lowell High vs. Revere High, at Lowell; Oct. 16, open; Oct. 17, Boston Mechanics Art vs. Lowell High, at Lowell; Oct. 23, Lowell High vs. Haverhill High, at Haverhill; Oct. 24, Lowell High vs. Lawrence High, at Lowell; Oct. 28, open; Oct. 31, Lowell High vs. Leominster High, at Lowell; Nov. 4, Nashua High vs. Lowell High, at Nashua; Nov. 7, Newburyport High vs. Lowell High at Newburyport; Nov. 11, Lowell High vs. Haverhill High, at Lowell; Nov. 14, Lawrence High vs. Lowell High, at Lawrence; Nov. 18, open; Nov. 21, Lowell High vs. Leominster, at Leominster; Nov. 24, Dracut Preparatory vs. Lowell High, at Lowell.

TORTURED TO DEATH

BOY WAS PUNISHED BY SCHOOL TEACHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 9.—The trial of Andreas Dippold, a tutor who whipped to death the son of Director Koch of the Deutsche bank, a lad of 14 years, was continued yesterday at Beyreuth. The doctor who examined the body of the lad, Heinz Koch, testified that he had been tortured to death. Medical experts declared that the prisoner was mentally sound, but of unnatural instincts.

PERSONALS

Mr. Thomas McCarthy, teacher of flute and picolo, who is now engaged at Columbia theatre, Boston, is to remain in Lowell this winter. It was inadvertently stated that Mr. McCarthy was going to Lakewood, N. J. Although playing in Boston he will live at home, 13 Harrison street, this city.

Mrs. S. T. Ford spoke yesterday afternoon at Manchester, before the New Hampshire State Association of the Christian Church. Her subject was "Some Essentials in Primary Teaching."

Mrs. W. P. Libby of Somerville, and Mrs. Mattie Heath of Stanstead, P. Q., returned yesterday to Boston after making a visit with Mrs. James P. Roberts of West Fifth street.

The many Lowell friends of Rev. and Mrs. Charles R. McNally will hear with much pleasure that in a letter that reached Lowell yesterday, Mr. McNally stated that Mrs. McNally's health is very much improved, and while still in Nova Scotia, she expects to return to her home in Brooklyn, N. Y., in a few weeks.

The Rev. J. L. Hoyle, pastor of the First Congregational church, Pelham, will, on October 11, 18 and 25, preach a series of three sermons on the "Parable of the Prodigal Son," and in the evening he will conduct services, illustrated by the stereopticon.

Miss Susie Corinne Smith, private secretary to Mr. S. E. Walker of Northfield, who is business manager of the "Christian Work," a periodical of which William Read Moody, elder son of the late Dwight L. Moody, is editor, is visiting her mother, Mrs. John T. Smith, of 21 Jewett street. Miss Smith returns to Northfield about October 20.

A very pleasant party of friends was entertained by Mrs. Melvin of South street, Chelmsford, on Thursday evening. Those present were from Lowell and Chelmsford. Miss Eaton and Mrs. Chellis entertained by musical selections, and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Felker and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Twiss of Tewksbury are at East Jaffrey, N. H., and report hunting and fishing excellent and are having a general good time.

John E. Maguire of the bureau of information at the police station, is on a two weeks' vacation in New York.

Miss Edith Fellowes of Haverhill is on a visit to her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Fisk, at 40 Gates street.

William Dalmage, assistant janitor of city hall, is on his vacation, which he is spending at Swansea, near Fall River.

An Expert Druggist's Opinion

Mr. Milton C. Brigham, a prominent druggist of Natick, Mass., states, after having used U-ri-cene, the new Rheumatism Cure: "Without exaggeration I consider U-ri-cene far superior to any Rheumatic Remedy, imported or domestic, for neutralizing uric acid. I am constantly using it, and am receiving much benefit."

U-ri-cene Tablets are guaranteed effective or your money refunded. For sale at leading drug stores everywhere or by mail postpaid upon receipt of price, 50c.

The Woodbury Chemical Co.,

107 Summer Street.

BOY DISAPPEARED

His Mother Thinks He Was Kidnapped

Mrs. Frezette, mother of the boy, Commodore Frezette, who is missing from his home at 38 South street, called at this office this morning and asked to have a certain statement embodied in the story of her boy's disappearance corrected. She said: "I do not think my husband had anything to do with the boy's disappearance. I do believe,

COMMODORE FREZETTE.

however, that Mr. White knows where the boy is." As already stated the boy left home in company with Eli White, a Middlesex street hairdresser, Saturday morning. Mr. White engaged the boy to clean a cellar but when the boy looked the job over, Mr. White says, he decided that he wouldn't have anything to do with it, and left the shop. That was the last Mr. White saw of the boy. Mr. White has told his story to the police and to the clerk of the police court. He says he is in no way responsible for the boy's disappearance. As the boy is sixteen years of age it is just possible that he may have considered himself able to look out for himself for a while, but the probability is that he has either been taken by force or lured away for some reason as yet unknown.

OBJECT TO TERMS

Will of Susan Blaisdell to be Contested

The terms of the will of Susan A. Blaisdell, who died in this city a few months ago, are being objected to by her heirs-at-law. A hearing in the matter was held in the probate court at Cambridge on Wednesday. Mrs. Blaisdell was the widow of Hiram W. Blaisdell who was well known in this city. Her relatives who were beneficiaries claim that she was of unsound mind when the will was made. She disposed of property to the amount of about $30,000, about $20,000 of which went to her relatives.

W. C. T. U. REPORT

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR ENSUING YEAR.

The annual business meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held yesterday afternoon, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. W. H. Yarrow; secretary, Mrs. Ida Burk; treasurer, Mrs. L. A. Black, auditor, Mrs. Louise M. Fletcher; evangelical and press superintendent, Mrs. E. C. Brown; superintendent of work among the sailors, Mrs. J. H. Shaw; superintendents of literature, Mrs. H. C. Wilder and Mrs. J. Dennis; superintendent of anti-narcotics, Mrs. Louise Fletcher; superintendent of almshouse, Mrs. Gillespie; superintendent of employment bureau, Mrs. L. A. Black.

The secretary read the following report: "The union has held 10 business sessions, and 10 devotional meetings at those rooms. They have held 14 gospel temperance services at the city farm, the pastors of our different churches willingly giving their time to conduct each service. Miss Maude Black has kindly volunteered to assist in the music, both instrumental and vocal. We would extend our hearty thanks to all who have helped us in this work. Our superintendents of almshouse work, Mrs. Gilesple and Mrs. Harris, are worthy of our sincere thanks for their faithful visitations among the inmates of the farm. Many a lonely one has been cheered and encouraged to a better life by these workers. We would thank the editors of our local papers for their generosity in affording us space for many columns of reading. The numbers in our union have decreased to some extent the past year. Several have left the city. Three have withdrawn from us, one who has been long with us having decided to take up work with another organization. Two have died, or been promoted, as our state president likes to say of those whom God has taken from our ranks. Mrs. Sarah Spaulding of Chelmsford and Miss Jennie Piggott of Lowell are the deceased members. We have at present 120 members, 102 active and 18 honorary.

Respectfully submitted,

E. C. BROWN, Secy."

EVENING SCHOOLS

REGISTRATION BEGAN LAST EVE- FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

Registration for the elementary evening schools began last evening. The registration at the High school commenced a week ago, continuing this week.

The schools reported the average number of pupils turning in for registration on the first night. A very large number of Greeks turned in at the Mann school. Should the number prove too large for accommodations, an overflow room, with a Greek interpreter, will be opened at the Green school, as was done last year.

SAVAGE ATTACK

Was Made on Woman in Nashua

MRS. GEORGE E. FRIEND WAS BRUTALLY ASSAULTED

Her Assailant Made His Escape

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 9.—Mrs. Geo. E. Friend, a resident of Derry, who is visiting relatives in this city, was the victim of a very bold assault while walking along West Hollis street yesterday morning.

Mrs. Friend was on her way to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs. Amos Webster, who live on the Dunstable road, just outside the city limits. When near the Nashua machine plant a man rushed out of a growth of scrub oaks in that vicinity and grabbed her by the throat.

The fellow struck her several times, and despite her struggles threw her to the ground and attempted to drag her into the bushes.

Mrs. Friend screamed for help and attracted the attention of some railroad men. When her assailant saw the men approaching he again struck Mrs. Friend and ran away.

Mrs. Friend was taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Albert H. Bailey, of 17 Palm street, and the police were notified.

Mrs. Friend was quite severely bruised about the head and face.

A SON BORN

TO THE MARQUIS OF DONEGAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 9.—An heir was born on Wednesday to the Marquis of Donegal, who is eighty years of age, and who married Miss Twining of Halifax, N. S., who was 22 years old at the beginning of the year. The Marquis had twice previously been married without having issue.

DAIGH DECLARED INSANE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 9—Charles A. Daigh, at one time consulting engineer for the U. S. government in the Clyde shipyards, was declared insane in the court at the detention hospital yesterday. He was committed to the Jefferson asylum. Daigh was a consulting engineer on the battleships Indiana, Kearsarge and Kentucky. He was also at one time assistant chief engineer at the Brooklyn navy yard. He is 43 years old.

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Don't confuse a gentle, upbuilding tonic laxative, such as Iron-Ox Tablets, with the violent destructive cathartics and purgatives so widely advertised and commonly used.

Iron-Ox Tablets relieves constipation by stimulating the stomach and bowels to natural action. They tone up the entire digestive system, causing perfect digestion, perfect assimilation and a natural flow of fluids, so that purgatives and cathartics are unnecessary.

By curing indigestion and constipation and causing normal action of the liver and kidneys Iron-Ox Tablets purge the blood of impurities which cause disfiguring skin eruptions and disease.

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Any remedy which shocks the system into activity is dangerous. Do not expect immediate perceptible effects from Iron-Ox Tablets. They produce a natural, regular building up of all the bodily functions. This takes a little time, but a successful result is absolutely certain.

Do not confound Iron-Ox Tablets with liquid preparations which are simply drugged alcohol and which create a habit which is nothing more nor less than alcoholism. Iron Ox Tablets build up the system, slowly they cannot create a "habit."

Offer Iron-Ox Tablets in an attractive aluminum case, 25 cents at druggists, or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, by The Iron-Ox Remedy Co., Detroit, Mich., U. S. A.

GAIN OF 15,000

Report Made to Gaston Managers

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—An important conference took place at the Revere House last evening, the chairman of the democratic town and city committees of Greater Boston (not including Boston) rendering reports as to the conditions in their sections.

The net result indicated a tremendous gain for Colonel Gaston.

The candidate for governor was unable to meet the chairmen. He was at Lawrence, where the committee of that city listened to an informal talk on organization. Congressman McNary, chairman of the state committee, represented Mr. Gaston at the Revere House meeting.

There were no set speeches. About all present made informal remarks and listened to advice given by Mr. McNary. A conservative estimate of the democratic gain in Greater Boston (not including Boston) was 15,000. The chairmen were enthusiastic, reporting that the "feeling in the air" in their districts was along the line of a democratic victory.

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Physicians Give Eczema Up, But Zema-Cura Cures It Every Time

You often hear of "hopeless cases" of Eczema; of people who have tried everything recommended by eminent physicians without being relieved, to say nothing of being cured. The tortures of this disease are terrible, and to be a victim of Eczema is most pitiable. It was claimed to be incurable.

All this was true once, but it is now no longer true. No matter how bad the case may be or of what duration, ZEMA-CURA will cure Eczema, Hives, Eruptions and skin diseases of all kinds.

ZEMA-CURA has been used in thousands of cases and has not failed to cure in one instance. It never will fail. It will cure you surely, effectively and for all time. No matter what you have tried or how long you have suffered you owe it to yourself to try ZEMA-CURA.

"It affords me pleasure to testify to the curative value of Zema-Cura. For two years I had been troubled with an itching on my back at the base of the spine which was so troublesome, especially at night, that my constant irritation to produce relief caused sores. I could find no remedy until a friend recommended your preparation. Before I had used a bottle, the itching had entirely stopped, the sores were healed and a new skin formed and I have since had no trouble. I can confidently recommend it." — W. W. McMULLEN; THOS. J. JOHNSTON & CO., 30 E. 10th St., New York.

Zema-Cura is a liquid, applied externally. $1.00. At druggists or The Zema-Cura Co., 7 W. 22nd St., N. Y.

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Tomorrow will be the 113th anniversary of the birth of Rev. Trenbald Mathew, known throughout the civilized world.

Rev. Fr. Mathew was born at Thomastown, county Tipperary, Ireland, Oct. 10th, 1790, and died about 1874, after years of labor devoted to a cause, which though at that time was destined to be unpopular, has happily grown in popular esteem.

Though the great temperance advocate is dead, as is also his co-worker in the cause, Fr. Thomas Burke, yet their efforts, futile as they may have seemed during their early work, have been taken up with renewed vigor by societies in every city and hamlet in the land with eminent success.

Here in Lowell two societies organized to promote total abstinence have been founded, both enjoying prosperity in the full measure.

In the adjacent towns, too, the temperance spirit has found many supporters, as the large membership of the St. Johns society of North Chelmsford and the Mathews of Billerica will attest.

But though temperance organizations have been formed, until they have become numerous, Lowell feels justly proud in having in its midst, a society whose prestige is felt throughout all New England. Not alone is the Mathew Temperance Institute admired for having the largest number of members in New England, but also because of the great work done and the results attained among the Catholic youth of our city, for the past 70 years.

Even since the date of the incription, January 1, 1882, the Mathews have made rapid strides in membership until at present the rolls show the record breaking number of 700. Financially speaking, the institute is in the finest condition possible holding real estate to the value of $15,000, and with over $600 in the treasury. This is a record unprecedented in the history of any Catholic society in Massachusetts and of which any community might well be proud.

TOMORROW'S OBSERVANCE.

The commemoration of the natal day of all temperance bodies will not be celebrated in this city tomorrow, it having been previously announced in The Sun some weeks ago that the principal observance of the day in Massachusetts would be held in Peabody. The parade in that city tomorrow, while under the supervision of the Essex County C. T. A. U., will be participated in by many organizations from other counties, one of these organizations is the Mathews of our city, which is affiliated with the Boston Archdiocesan T. A. Union.

The Essex County union embraces societies in Lynn, Danvers, Haverhill, Lawrence, Salem, Beverly, Amesbury, Groveland, Methuen, Newburyport, Peabody, Marblehead and Georgetown, all of which have voted to participate in the demonstration. With delegations from the 56 societies in the Boston union and the full quota of members of the Mathews of Lowell in line it can safely be said that nearly 2500 men will take part, thereby eclipsing in numbers the state parade held in Lowell last year.

Hon. Michael F. Ray of Peabody is chief marshal of the parade, and among the members of his staff will be Messrs. Wm. J. Collins and John J. Dolan of this city. The procession will form on Lowell street in Peabody at 2.45 o'clock with the St. John's society of Peabody, headed by Stiles' Eighth Regiment band occupying the right of line.

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LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS.

The final arrangements for the conveyance of the Mathews to Peabody will be announced this evening. The Mathews are to meet in special session this evening for the purpose of admitting new members.

It is arranged to have the members meet at the hall at 1 p.m. sharp, where the line will be formed and a march begun to the Merrimack street depot. The Lowell Military band of 30 pieces will furnish music. At the depot the special train, chartered by the society, will be boarded and with the exception of a brief stop at the Northern depot will proceed directly to its destination. At Peabody the society will be met by members of the chief marshal's staff and escorted to the starting point, which is Lowell street.

At 2.45 p.m. the procession will move over a rather extended route, embracing the principal streets in the business portion of Peabody. At the head of the Mathews will ride Alderman Richard J. McCluskey, marshal; Rev. W. George Mullin, spiritual director, and mounted aids. Delegations from the Burkes of Lowell, the Mathews of Billerica, and the St. John's of North Chelmsford will also accompany the Mathews.

ENTERTAINED IN LYNN.

In response to an invitation from the Fr. Mathew T. A. society of Lynn, the local contingent will be entertained by that body after the parade at their commodious quarters in Lynn. A concert, smoke-talk and supper, interspersed with speeches by Lowell and Lynn men will be provided. Pres. Sheehan of the Lynn society states that no stone will be left unturned to make the visit of the Mathews one long to be remembered.

After the festivities in Lynn cars will be taken for Peabody, where at 11 o'clock the special will be taken for the return to the City of Spindles. The Peabody and Salem societies will also entertain their guests in their respective halls.

Thus, briefly is the manner in which Fr. Mathew's birthday is to be commemorated and though not in Lowell the good wishes and congratulations of many citizens go with that progressive society, the Mathew Temperance Institute, that stands first, last, and always for temperance, peace and prosperity in the community.

PRESIDENT'S MEET CABINET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—President Roosevelt yesterday summoned to the White House several members of his cabinet—Secretaries Hay, Moody and Cortelyou, and Attorney General Knox.

It was the choice of the president merely to discuss with these members of his official family. They remained with him for about three quarters of an hour. While no statement of the nature of the conference was made public, it is known that it was not of public importance.

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER.

WILD SHOOTING

Reckless Hunters Disturb Tewksbury Folk

Reckless shooting is disturbing the good people over Tewksbury way, and they want it stopped. Hunters, criminally careless, they say, are in the woods day in and day out, especially on Sunday, and they seem to have utter disregard for life or property.

Last Sunday one of the oldest residents of the town lost a valuable St. Bernard dog in this way. He was in the house at the time and heard the fatal shot fired but when he arrived upon the scene the men had decamped. Some of his employes, however, had seen the hounds of the hunters previous to the shooting, though they failed to obtain a glimpse of the men. The dog at the time was on the premises of his master and was within 300 feet of the barn, and the owner is of the opinion that the dog was killed in cold blood instead of by mistake or accident.

As there was a cow on the other side of the wall just below the spot where the dog was killed, it is believed that the cow also had a narrow escape.

Last year a resident of the town while walking on the shore of Mud Pond was startled by a bullet which whizzed by his head, having evidently come from the other side of the pond.

VICEROY HAUEN

IS STAMPING OUT THE REVOLUTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 9.—Viceroy Tan Shun Hauea, since taking charge of the movement against the Kwang Si rebels of South China has been successful and Hong Kong papers predict that he will crush the revolution which has been in progress for three years and which is aided by the Chinese in the United States and elsewhere. A large consignment of arms was successfully run to the rebels during August.

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TO INVESTIGATE

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Now that a special committee has been appointed to investigate the child labor question in the Lowell mills it is to be hoped that something will be done to render it impossible for children under 14 years of age to procure certificates. Because Supt. Whitcomb says there are no children under the age limit employed in the mills in Lowell doesn't make it so. The reading public have long since known that Mr. Whitcomb is not infallible. He's an easy talker and while he may have all the confidence that he says he has in the officers who issue certificates to applicants, he must make a personal investigation of the situation before he appears in print as authority for the statement that the law is being observed to the letter.

The mill agents are a unit in declaring that they will receive the committee appointed by the mule spinners courteously and that they will be as much interested in the investigation as will be the committee. It is right that the agents should be interested, and let us hope that when the committee comes to Lowell that all of the children employed in the mills today will be there.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The Miss New York, Jr., extravaganza company opened a three nights' engagement at the Academy of Music last night and despite the rainy weather there was a very large and appreciative audience. Miss New York, Jr., is by no means new to this city, and this show has always played to crowded houses. While the performance is almost entirely different from last year, if anything it is better, a higher class of artists being with the company, while the songs are new and catchy, the chorus good and the costumes worn of the most costly nature.

The performance opens with a satire entitled "Sir Thomas Slipton's Reception," which is a novelty skit for laughing purposes only. The cast is made up of such people as Billy Pearl, Herman Marion, Albert Lavelle and Miss Minnie Granville and others. Billy Pearl and Herman Marion, who impersonated Capt. Hardweather and Hanlan, an actor, respectively, kept the audience convulsed with laughter during the greater part of the performance. Their funny songs, new and up-to-date jokes, together with their funny situations, serving as laugh makers.

The performance opens with a medley entitled "Over the Pommery Fount." Miss Minnie Granville, assisted by the chorus, sings "My Little Coney Island," and for an encore rendered "Hello, When the Winter'ime Comes Around" was sung by Billy Pearl and Miss Granville and Wills. A mixed sextet sang "Hi Lo, Hi Lo," and "Asleep in the Deep" was well received. The solo parts being sustained by Miss Granville, Ed. Faunteroy, assisted by the company, gave "Caroline, My Caroline," and the closing finale introduced the following musical numbers: "When the Band Was Playing Dixey," "A Starry Night," "My Nightingale," and "Gen. Hartack on Guard."

The olio opens up with vocal selections by Miss Pemberton, a Haverhill girl, who charmed the audience with her sweet voice and clever situations. Albert and Rose Lavelle gave a novel and very entertaining turn, performing a number of very difficult and pretty knick knack dances, while their turn wound up with an exhibition of the Seymour dog. Miss Lavelle holds the doll. Marion and Pearl, comedians and eccentric acrobats, strange jokes, some songs and wound up with a clever acrobatic act. Pelt and Pierce, two old favorites in this city, appeared in their new Alphonse and Gaston act, which brought forth hearty applause. The Faunteroys wound up the olio with a new and novel electrical singing act, the singing of "The Holy City" with kinetoscope accompaniment, being something which has never been exhibited in this city before.

The performance concluded with a mirth provoking comedy in one scene, a satire on the opera Erminie, entitled "Dear Minnie." Several new songs were introduced during the performance of the satire and the chorus appeared in many different and beautiful costumes.

Taken as a whole the company is a good one and well worth seeing. Performances will be given this afternoon and evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening.

TO STOP LOOTING

PLAN SUGGESTED BY A SOMERVILLE CITIZEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—At the meeting of the Somerville board of aldermen last night, a lengthy communication was received from William H. Ennis of ward 7, who was at one time a member of the city government.

Mr. Ennis called attention to numerous robberies, which he declared were perpetrated in the city to his knowledge by men who secured entrance to houses by displaying a badge purporting to proclaim them employes of gas, electric light and telephone companies.

He asked the aldermen to stop the wholesale looting of houses by enacting an ordinance compelling such companies to put their employes in uniforms.

The communication was referred to the police committee.

BRAZILIAN OFFICERS GREETED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Secretary Hay presented to the president yesterday the officers of the Brazilian warship Benjamin Constant, which is now in this country paying an official return visit for visit of the Brazil to present the compliments of Brazil to present the compliments of this government at the time of the inauguration of the president of that republic. The president greeted the officers cordially. They communicated to him the official assurances of good will and friendship of Brazil.

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BOSTON ONCE MORE

Collins' Men With Dineen Pitching Scored Victory

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 9—Hushed was the hilarity of the National league rooter last night, while the American leaguer was crowing.

Six to three was the score yesterday afternoon and the series now stands three games apiece. Up to the present time the only club in the world to a Pittsburger is the Pittsburg baseball club. No other side is in it with his, and the fact is pointed to with proper pride that the National league pennant was won by Pittsburg, although the team was complete in but 17 championship games this season. This speaks volumes for the Pittsburg team, but not very highly for the clubs with which they contested the past season.

"Not in our class," was the verdict after Boston went down three out of the first four games, but it is now a different story and it is agreed that the Boston American league team is the only one in the land today that has a right to dispute with Pittsburg the matter of baseball supremacy.

Despite the fact that Phillippe is to face the Boston boys today, they feel sure they will be able to take his measure. All three games won by the Pittsburg team have been taken with Phillippe in the box.

True to his promise, Manager Collins put Bill Dineen in to pitch yesterday. It was generally expected that young Veil would do the trick for the locals, but Leever showed up so well in practice that it was decided to put him in the box. He did very well, but the Bostons managed to hit him when runs were needed, while the Pittsburgs hit Dineen in but one inning, so that in the last 18 innings the locals have scored in just two against Collins' men. Every one of the Bostons hit safely—Stahl and Parent each made three-base hits and Lachance got in a drive for two bases. On the other hand, Pittsburg secured but three hits up to the seventh inning. In the seventh they bunched three singles and a double and got two bases on balls and made all of their three runs.

The visitors put up a magnificent article of ball, decidedly the best they have put up in the series. They were very fast, in fact they fairly carried away one's breath by the way they raced after balls that seemed destined to go safely, and they practically played an errorless game. Fred Parent did his work in beautiful style. Hobe Ferris at second let nothing by him. Lachance played a great game at first, and Capt. Collins did not let a thing get away from him, and the way he handled a bunt of Phelps' was a thing to be seen to be appreciated. The work of the Boston outfield was all that could be desired and all of the men made some fine catches.

The Pittsburgs played great ball—they had to in order to avoid a worse beating than they got. Wagner was the mark at short. Ritchey played like the artist that he is and excellent work was done by Beaumont in the outfield. Mr. Beaumont did something he did not do in Boston, he showed great form with the stick and cracked the ball safely four times in succession.

It was a great day for a game of ball and the fans turned out in fine fashion to see the sport. As was the case Wednesday, Secretary Locke was compelled to shut down on the sale of grand stand seats, for that place was packed to the doors. Strings of people lined the ropes in the outfield and ground rules had to be adopted, allowing a man three bases on a ball into the crowd. But two hits went into the congested district, those of Parent and Stahl, and Stahl's would have been good for a home run on the ground but for the throng.

The attendance was not quite so large as that of Wednesday, but it was a big crowd, 11,556, and talk about rooting. The noise was simply deafening when Pittsburg began to score in the seventh inning. Without doubt Dineen was a bit unsteady and he was not to be blamed if such were the case. The locals got no chance like this again, for it was one, two, three in the eighth inning, and in the ninth Beaumont started the inning with a hit and any kind of a rally would have precipitated another storm of cheering, but Clarke hit directly into Parent's hands, who threw to Lachance, accomplishing a double play, and then the Boston bunch had a chance to let themselves out. Then Leach fouled to Criger and the game was over.

That Boston bunch! Don't say a word! They can't talk above a whisper. Not a man, or a lady for that matter, of the lot would have missed the spectacle of yesterday for a good deal. The rooters were in their usual places behind the Boston bench. As usual, they went to the grounds behind their band, which was engaged for the series. Nothing slow about that delegation.

"I do not know what I would have done without them," said Manager Collins. "Their aid in encouraging us to victory has meant lots and lots to us in these games. They share in the victory with us." Each of the rooters was presented with a tiny parasol by a local firm. Each of these parasols was parti-colored and the effect was very pretty as the men waved them in different ways when they sang and marched through the streets after the game.

After the game the band and the Boston rooters chambered down over the front of the grand stand, got into line, marched across the diamond and thence into the streets, and cheering and howling, made a short circuit before arriving at the hotel. There was lots of bedlamic on the part of the spectators, but most of it was in a kindly spirit. One of the carriages conveyed Mrs. Young, Mrs. Ferris and Mrs. Lachance, and a jolly lot they were. Mrs. Young arrived only Wednesday from the west, and therefore has a percentage of 100 in victories.

The weather was splendid for the game. The heavy rains of Wednesday night left the air decidedly cool, still it was not uncomfortable. Young batted to the infield. "I'll give 'em enough to do," and he hit the balls around in a way that made the "rabbits" hustle, as he calls Ferris and Lachance. Gibson and Hughes were also in uniform and indulged in batting practice, and Charlie Farrell handed a fewdown to second base. Young Veil did a few stunts for the locals so as to have his hand in if anything happened to Sam Leever.

The game began promptly with Boston at the bat. The way the Bostons started in in the third and fifth innings was very tiresome to the local rooters, and as the games progressed was very suggestive of a shut-out, and therefore the rally of the seventh was all the more appreciated, inasmuch as the locals not only scored but had a chance to tie the game. It was tough, indeed, that hopes were dashed after they had been raised to such a high degree. As has been true in the other games in the series, there was no hitch in the proceedings. Mr. O'Day umpired in the same satisfactory way on balls and strikes that he has in the series, and there is no doubt he is without a superior in this respect, while Mr. Connolly did excellent work on the bases. They make a fine team, this pair.

The following is the score:

BOSTON.

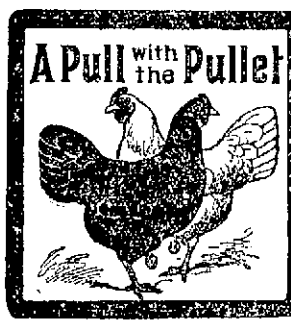
	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Dougherty lf	3	1	1	1	1	0	0
Collins, 3b	5	1	1	1	1	2	0
Stahl cf	5	1	2	4	2	0	0
Freeman rf	5	0	0	0	1	0	0
Parent ss	4	2	1	3	5	2	0
Lachance 1b	4	0	1	2	9	2	0
Ferris 2b	4	0	2	2	1	3	0
Criger c	4	0	1	1	6	0	1
Dineen p	4	1	1	1	1	2	0
Totals	38	6	10	15	27	11	1

PITTSBURG.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Beaumont cf	5	1	4	4	5	0	0
Clarke lf	5	0	2	3	2	0	0
Leach 3b	5	0	0	0	1	2	2
Wagner ss	2	0	0	0	2	5	1
Bransfield 1b	3	0	1	1	11	0	0
Ritchey 2b	3	0	0	0	1	3	0
Schring rf	4	1	2	2	2	0	0
Phelps c	4	1	1	1	3	0	0
Leever p	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	36	3	10	11	27	12	3

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Boston	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	0	0	—6
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	—3

Earned runs, Pittsburg 2, Boston 3. Two base hits, Clarke, Lachance. Three base hits, Stahl, Parent. Stolen bases, Beaumont 2, Clarke, Leach, Stahl. Double plays, Ritchey Wagner and Bransfield; Parent and Lachance. First base on balls, off Leever 2, off Dineen 3. Hit by pitched ball, Parent. Struck out, by Leever 2, by Dineen 3. Time, 2:02. Umpire O'Day and Connolly. Attendance, 11,556.



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Lowell, Friday, Oct. 9, 1903

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A TREMENDOUS SELLING YESTERDAY AT THE CLEARING OUT SALE

Here's what you may find here if you come early today;

2 Ladies' Suits, that were $12.50, at $5.00 Each

3 Ladies' Covert Jackets, were $10.00, at $5.00 Each

10 Dress and Walking Skirts, were from $8 to $13.50, at - - $5.00 Each

13 Walking and Tailored Skirts, were from $5 to $7.98, at - $3.98 Each

One Gun metal Silk Velvet Skirt, was $26.50, for - - - - - $10

18 Shirt Waists of Lawn and Linen, were from $1.98 to $5.50, at 98c Each

43 Shirt Waists of White and Colored Lawns, Piques, Ginghams, etc., were 98c. to $1.50, at - - 49c Each

4 Silk Petticoats, were $6.98, at $4.50 Each

4 Silk Petticoats, were $7 and $10, at $5.50 Each

17 Heavy Long Coats, were from $8 to $15, at - - - $5.00 Each

8 White Silk and Lace Waists, were $7.98 and $10 - - $5 Each

6 Mercerized Cheviot Waists, were $5.49 at - - - - $2.98 Each

8 Black Peau de Soie Waists, were $5.50 to $6.49, at - - - - $4.50

7 Black Silk Waists, were $7.50 to $8.50 at - - - - - - $5.98

1 French Flannel Kimona, was $12.50, at $5.00

1 Japanese Silk Kimona, was $10, at $3.00

2 Eider Down Bath Robes, were $5, and $7, at - - - - - $3.98

30 Light Colored Percale Wrappers, were $1.50, at - - 98c. Each

11 Children's Mackintosh Rain Coats, were $1.98, at - - $1.25

10 Children's Mackintosh Rain Coats, were $3.50 and $5, at - $1.98

East Section, Second Floor

GRAND SPECIAL VALUES IN MEN'S HEAVY BOOTS PRICES ARE WAY UNDER

AT $1.98—Men's Leather Boots in Calf Skin, Sewed or Pegged, Black and Russia, Oil Grain, 2 and 4 Soles, usual price $2.50 and $4.00.

AT $2.49—Men's Extra High Cut Shoes, made from Kangaroo Calf, Tan and Black, Seal and Oil Grain Leathers, mostly Blucher Style, regular price $4 a pair.

AT $1.98—Men's Storm Shoe in Black and Tan Russia Calf, Box Calf, Kangaroo Calf, from one to five soles, Blucher and Balmoral patterns, regular price $2.50 and $3.00.

AT $1.39—Men's Walking Shoes in Kangaroo Calf, Veal Calf, Kip, Black or Tan, Seal and Oil Grain, all styles, were $1.75 or $2.00.

AT 98c—Men's Satin Calf Lace and Congress Shoes, all weights, regular price $1.25 to $1.50.

Palmer Street, Basement

TEA AND COFFEE SPECIAL

1 Pound A. G. P. Coffee,
1 Can Ralston Cocoa,
1-2 Pound Tea,
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Have you tried Fruit Puddine? We've sold a lot of it this week. Demonstration in

Merrimack Street, Basement

ARGUMENTS HEARD

IN CASE AGAINST NORTHERN PACIFIC ROAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 9.—Arguments were begun yesterday in the United States court of appeals in the case of Camille Weidenfeld against the Northern Pacific road.

This is the original Peter Power case, the first attempt made to defeat the merger before it had completed its gigantic deal for control of two road systems.

The arguments are made on an appeal by Weidenfeld from the order of the United States circuit court through Judge Loohren, dismissing the bill of complaint against the railroad two years ago.

The original action was brought to enjoin the Northern Pacific railroad from retiring $75,000,000 of preferred stock, the first move in the merger scheme.

The attorneys for Weidenfeld insist that the case involves directly the entire merger question, while the appellee declares it does not.

WILLIAM R. KEW

POLICE CAPTAIN KNOWS ALL ABOUT CHINAMEN.

A morning paper says that Police Captain William R. Kew, doesn't believe that local Chinamen are interested in the factional rumpus among Boston Chinamen. The captain says that if any Lowell Chinamen were implicated in the affair he would know about it. It is really too bad that the writers of the "sensational" news didn't know that Captain Kew was in so close touch with the local celestials.

SHY OF NAMES

"Tommy" Little's Papers Will Hardly Go

Unless He Adds More Names to Them as Required by Law —Registrars Reject Many of the Signers — Some of Those Who Signed

The nomination papers filed by "Tommy" Little as the "republican independent" candidate for senator in the seventh district form a wonderful instrument and the poor registrars of voters, whose task it was to see how many of the signatures attached thereto are those of legal voters, has been no sinecure.

Orthographically speaking, as John B. Clancey would put it, the papers are a work of art, many of the signatures closely resembling a Chinese laundry check. Originally there were 160 names on the list, but of these only 100 got by the registrars.

It would now appear that "Tommy" hasn't names enough on his papers to get his name on the official ballot, though it wouldn't take him long to raise other names by means of another paper.

The law requires one name for every 100 votes cast for governor at the last state election, and the gubernatorial vote of the district last fall was considerably over 10,000, the nomination paper thus requiring 100 names.

All parties are included among those who signed "Tommy's" papers, including some whose names are not on the voting lists at all, and others whose names were written in such a manner that the writers themselves could not identify them.

Among the signatures appended to "Tommy's" papers are the following:

Robert Judge, James C. Little, Josiah A. Low, Frank L. Dies, Edwin S. Eastman, James F. Walker, Edward Lyman, Patrick Mealey, James E. Morrison, Thomas Flutick, William M. Burns, Leonard A. Lentz, Frederick H. Coggeshall, Warren R. Stone, Joseph H. Miller, Martin L. Kirby, Charles P. Lynch, Hugh W. Fraser, Frank C. Way, Francis Rice, Edward W. Chadbourne, Edward H. Page, Henry J. Tarbell, Elmer H. White, George E. Maynard, John H. Cogger, Carter M. Allen, Albert P. Davis, William Brown, Samuel Scott, James H. Collins, Richard J. Flynn, Louis F. McIntosh, Frank E. Partridge, Bradley A. Mosser, John H. Cover, Frank H. Stratton, Edwin A. Wood, Charles H. Hill, John M. Wood, John J. Bowd, Joseph Cayouette, William C. Bowles, George P. Walker, John H. Chaney, James J. Hayes, James Boyd, Charles J. Riley, Thomas F. Hennessey, Thomas J. Fitzgerald, Felix H. Tumpervin, Oliver R. Smithwick, William H. Hollahan, Frank Montcomb, John W. Greenlaw, Daniel Coulton, Mahonley, James A. Rollins, John H. Ward, Josiah H. Bartlett, Patrick J. Costy, Michael F. McHugh, Michael J. Fay, Joseph Hebert, Joseph S. Ellis, William J. Kerr, James Leach, Dennis Crowley, Peter Mellahan, Edward Mechanvran, Peter J. Mechanvran, Frederick J. Thorpe, John H. Kennedy, John S. Stratton, John P. McDonald, Robert M. Ardell, Joseph A. Pion, Cornelius J. Monahan, Jeremiah Murphy, Clyde M. Whitten, James Farrell, John Barrett, Joseph F. Convery, Louis Titto, Philip H. Ilsby, Patrick Cogger, Robert L. Stevens, Albert J. Warren, Edward B. Donovan, Frank H. Adams, John M. Farrell, John J. Ryan, John J. Burns, Frank E. Johnson, George E. Thorne, James M. Hancock, Frank A. Goss.

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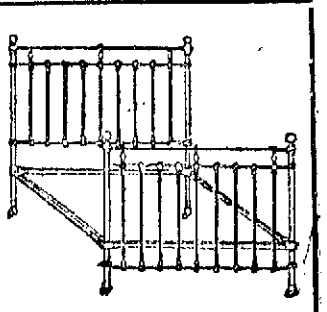

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DR. A. K. DRAKE

Elected Superintendent of General Hospital

BY HOSPITAL DIRECTORS AT REGULAR MEETING

Has Had Much Hospital Experience

Dr. Arthur K. Drake, of the State hospital at Tewksbury, was yesterday elected superintendent of the Lowell General hospital, at a meeting of the executive committee of the trustees held in the afternoon.

For the past three years Dr. Drake has been assistant superintendent of the State hospital and a very efficient official. He is 30 years of age, unmarried, a graduate of Harvard, and has had 10 years' hospital experience. He is well known here among the members of the medical fraternity, all of whom speak highly of him.

Dr. Drake will not only have general charge of the affairs of the hospital, but he will also direct the work of the Training school for nurses. He will give a regular series of lectures on the topic of benefit to nurses.

POWDER MAGAZINES

SITE NEAR CITY FARM VISITED YESTERDAY.

A sub-committee of the overseers of the poor, accompanied by Supt. [illegible], visited the proposed site of the fire department's powder magazine in the vicinity of the old rifle range, yesterday afternoon. The locality appears to be reasonably safe for a magazine. No action was taken.

41 NAMES

ADDED TO VOTING LIST BY REGISTRARS.

The registration at City Hall yesterday resulted in the placing of forty-[illegible] new names on the voting lists. The registration by wards was as follows: Ward one, 4; Ward two, 7; Ward three, 4; Ward four, 4; Ward five, 4; Ward six, 4; Ward seven, 5; Ward eight, 1; Ward nine, 9. Total, 41. This makes six less than Wednesday. The hours of registration today will be from 2 o'clock until 3 and from 7 until 9.

100,000 MEN

CANADA PLANS TO HAVE STRONG ARMY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 9.—Sir Frederick Borden, minister of militia and defense, in the house yesterday on a vote of $1,570,000 for arms and equipment, said that it was intended to have a force of 100,000 to be called on in case of emergency. Of these 40 per cent. will be enlisted at once and nearly one-half will be called upon for annual drill. The other 60 per cent. will be supplied with arms and ammunition and will be ready in case of trouble.

All the officers and non-commissioned officers will have to turn out for annual drill. The ordnance corps, an engineer corps and a mounted corps will be established at once.

LAID ON TABLE

Order to Build New York Street Bridge

HELD BACK IN THE STREET COMMITTEE

Committee Gone to Inspect Bridges

The committee on streets had a tour of inspection yesterday afternoon with a meeting at City Hall in the evening.

Little business of importance came up and the session was a brief one.

On the petition for sidewalks on Fuller and B streets the committee recommended leave to withdraw, but sidewalks were recommended on C and Lincoln streets.

The petition for a sidewalk on Vernon street was referred to the city engineer as it involves the cutting down of a large tree and the lowering of a grade.

On motion of Councilman Fleming the petition for the paving of Hampshire street with tar macadam was taken from the table. The estimate for the work is $13,256. He moved that it be recommended and the motion was passed.

Councilman Fordahe, as a sub committee on New York street, reported that a $600 bond had been given by August Fels and D. J. Murphy, binding them to put the street to grade if the city would build a bridge for them across Beaver Brook.

Councilman Braden asked whether, if a new Pawtucket bridge was built, a span of the present structure could be used for Beaver brook.

The city engineer replied that the span would be too long and could not be used for a 40-foot bridge. Pawtucket bridge might be utilized for a narrower country bridge, and could be sold as such, but that was all.

The estimate for the Beaver brook bridge is $27,000. Alderman Molloy moved that it be recommended. Upon amendment of Councilman Greenwood it was voted to lay the matter upon the table. Messrs. Molloy and Roche opposed.

The committee voted to go to Boston today to inspect bridges, as the guests of a Boston contractor, who has patented a new kind of steel and concrete bridge, which is said to combine the good qualities of stone and iron at less expense.

City Engineer Bowers gave a report on the proposed extension of Fifth avenue. The cost of the land taken would be $2917, the owners not desiring the extension of the avenue at this time.

It was voted to call for an estimate for the whole cost of the work.

The committee adjourned to Monday night.

BODY IDENTIFIED

PATRICK CUFF DIED EIGHT DAYS AGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WINDSOR, Vt., Oct. 9. A body which for eight days has been lying unclaimed and unrecognized in the rooms of a local undertaker has been identified as that of Patrick Cuff, of Providence, R. I. Relatives in that city will send funds to defray the expenses of the burial of the man. The identification was made by the man's sister, Miss Mary Cuff, who came here to visit her brother, not having heard of his death. She left town almost immediately after identifying the body, and the officials here then communicated with other relatives in Providence.

$10,000 DAMAGE

Caused by Water at Boston Fire

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—In extinguishing a fire which of itself caused a loss of but $5, in the Ruse, Ingalls and Eveleth Manufacturing plant on Bedford street last night, damage estimated at $10,000 was caused by a deluge of water from automatic sprinklers.

In addition to Ruse, Ingalls and Eveleth the building was occupied by the J. H. North company, dealers in hats, caps and gloves. The loss is about equally divided between the occupants.

CHESTER GOODWIN

WON HIS MATCH WITH BILLY SYNOTT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Oct. 9.—Chester Goodwin of Chelsea won over Billy Synott of Fall River last night, in the 12th round, within 15 seconds of the time limit of the contest. Synott was game, but Goodwin was his master at all styles of fighting and gave Synott quite a gruelling.

In the preliminaries Swords of Fall River won from Lew Dockstader of Camden, N. Y., and Bobby Tickle and Young Campbell went six rounds to a draw.

You can't expect to weave white satin with blackened hands, any more than you can expect good results from papers with a bogus circulation.

WEDDING GIFT...

We suggest to you, if it is to be a chair or rocker, that you see the handsome styles shown in the willow.

A very comfortable and durable chair for a living room. Cushions covered with French tapestries or cretonnes.

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RIFLE CONTEST

By Honorary Members of Company C

AT THE DRACUT RIFLE RANGE

Some Very Creditable Scores Made

The shoot of the honorary members of Co. C, M. V. M., was held yesterday afternoon at the Dracut rifle range, and proved to be a grand success, despite the rawness of the weather.

The crowd that gathered at the range included a number of leading men of this city and out of town military men, who are honorary members of the company and nothing but jollity and good fellowship reigned.

Many of the old timers were out of practice, but despite this the scores put up were good ones, the targets being 200 yards distant.

The scorers stationed at the shooting boxes were Corp. R. W. Eastman, Private R. J. Young, Musician M. J. Doyle, Privates C. J. Kelleher, G. R. Ludgren and William Dumfey.

Two strings of five shots each were shot by the competitors, the preliminary string placing the men in two classes, divided among those who shot over 18 and those whose score was under that number. Prizes were offered for the preliminaries, as well as for the two final classes.

The winners' prizes and final scores were as follows:

Preliminaries—Captain Livingston, lamp given by G. H. Wood, 20; Lieut. A. D. Colby, clock, 19; Sergt. Alex Peters, chocolate pot, 19.

Second class—J. A. Williamson, military brushes, 21; W. Burnett, picture, 24; Jeremiah Murphy, stein, 22.

First class—Capt. O. M. Pratt, cup, 21.

Consolation prizes—P. C. Moore, stein, 21; Cyrus Barlow, pitcher, 21; R. W. Ryan, tobacco jar, 20.

The number qualifying for the first class was so small that it was decided that but one prize would be offered in this class and that the others should be given as consolation prizes. Capt. Pratt was the successful man of the first class.

A large number of the men shot several strings outside of the shooting for prizes and excellent scores were made.

Mayor Howe made a score of 25 and Lieut. A. D. Colby scored 25 out of a possible 25 in a five-shot string. All shooting was interspersed with sociability and there was considerable bantering and joking about former days when the older members were more active in military circles and of the merry times at the encampment of the state militia.

Following the shooting a turkey supper was served in the hall after which there was speaking by a large number of the prominent older members. Col. R. S. Ripley was introduced by Capt. Kittredge as the toastmaster. Col. Ripley called upon Edwards Cheney as the representative of the mayor, who had left before the banquet, and Mr. Cheney spoke in an interesting manner on military matters and social affairs connected with the company.

Police Commissioner Pearson was then called upon and congratulated the members on the success of the event. He, too, went into the history of the company, stating that its organization dated back before the incorporation of the city of Lowell, 1836. Capt. Kimball, William Decatur, Capt. Pratt, City Clerk Dadman, F. L. Weaver, Lieut. Keyes, Charles Frost and others were called upon. For the press, Lawrence Cummings, Edgar M. Hill, C. Frederick Goldthwaite and Willis Dean were called upon and each spoke briefly. Fire Chief Hosmer was called and made a few interesting remarks.

Much of the success of the event is due to the efforts of Capt. Kittredge, and the lieutenants and non-commissioned officers who assisted.

SENT TO JAIL

COLORED MEN DISTURBED A MEETING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Granville Martin and William M. Trotter, the two colored men found guilty of disturbing a meeting in the Columbus avenue church when Booker T. Washington was present, were yesterday sentenced by Judge Sherman in the superior criminal court to serve 20 days in jail.

ON THE ALLEYS

PASTIMES DEFEATED BY THE BELVIDERES.

The Belvideres of this city defeated the Pastimes of Nashua on Les Mis ranges alleys last night in a duck pin game. The local aggregation lost the first string, but the second and third they won by good margins. Town of the wheelbarrow team was hard hit with a Dreadstring total of 273. The score:

Belvideres: Cole 257, Gunnan 278, Howes 273, Fullerton 257, King 261; totals 1361.

Pastimes: Lockhart 259, Wheeler 247, Ward 234, McGuerson 261, Mason 237; totals 1292.

HIGH ROLLERS DOWNED.

The clerks of the Boston & Maine railroad defeated the High Rollers in a game of duck pins last night. The score:

Boston & Maine Clerks: Paradis 224, Clare 228, Cogeshall 232, Shaw, 254, Edgell 238; totals 1157.

High Rollers: Richardson 229, Snowman [illegible], McDonald 230, Stearns 236; total [illegible].

SOCIAL AND DANCE

UNDER AUSPICES OF LINCOLN CLUB.

The Lincoln club held a pleasant social and dance in Associate hall last evening, which was attended by about [illegible] couples. The evening was passed in a most delightful manner by those in attendance. The Appalachian orchestra furnished music for the dancers. The hall was decorated in an attractive manner with settings of palms and potted plants about the stage and other adornments in different parts of the hall.

The general manager was Clarence Baker. He was assisted by Z. A. Carnande as floor director and members of the club acted as aids.

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39c Children's Jersey Leggins, all button, knee high, sizes 5 to 10, manufactured to sell for 50c. Our price **39c**

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LADIES' BLACK FELT SLIPPERS—plush trimmed, flannel lined, other stores ask 50c. Our price **39c**

LADIES' UP-TO-DATE RUBBERS—first quality, Hood make, regular price 50c. Our price **29c**

LADIES' LAMB WOOL SOLES—regular price 19c. Our price **15c**

LADIES' PATENT AND KID ONE STRAP DANCING SLIPPERS—sizes 2½ to 7, regular price $1.00. Our price **69c**

MISSES' BOX CALF SCHOOL SHOES leather lined, sizes 12 to 2, made with low heel and solid leather soles, regular price $1.50. Our price **$1.19**

CHILDREN'S BOX CALF SCHOOL SHOES—price with heavy soles, sizes 9 to 11, regular price 65c. Our price **49c**

CHILDREN'S DONGOLA KID SHOES made with heavy soles, lace only, sizes 5 to 8, regular 50c shoes. Our price **39c**

LITTLE GENT'S SATIN CALF SCHOOL SHOES made with low heels and solid leather soles, regular price 89c. Our price **69c**

YOUTH'S "NO RIP" SCHOOL SHOES—sizes 8½ to 2, solid leather soles and heels, sold everywhere for $1.25. Our price **98c**

Boys' sizes 2½ to 5, $1.19.

YOUTHS' OIL GRAIN "NON-RIP" SCHOOL SHOES all solid, warranted not to rip, sizes 12 to 2, made to sell for $1.00. Our price **69c**

MEN'S $3.00 WARRANTED BOX CALF ENAMEL SHOES—We give you a new pair for every pair that breaks. All time, 3 week. Our price **$2.29**

MEN'S FELT SHOES, felt soles, warm lined, later in the season everybody will ask you $1.50 and $2.00. Our price **$1.19**

19c Ladies' 10-Button Overgaiters—sizes 3 to 8. Later in the season other dealers will ask you 29c. Our price **19c**

We Repair Shoes as They Ought to be Repaired—Strictly Hand Work

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Importance of Being Well Dressed

There is no longer any excuse for business men not dressing up-to-date. It is neither good business nor good taste, and a business man who does not recognize this fact is at least exercising very poor judgment. He errs just in the same way that many a new housewife does, who thinks that after she gets married and takes up household duties, she need have no further concern about her appearance, when as a matter of fact, she ought to be, as careful about these things after marriage as before. It would have a salutary effect upon her husband. And so it is with the business man of today who approaches you upon any business proposition, who is not dressed neatly and in fashion, his wares are at a disadvantage.

Business suits should be neat, not over stylish, they can be well fitted, but not over expensive. You can no longer claim that you have not time to go to the tailor, you can come into the Merrimack and get a hand-finished suit to please any taste, to fit any figure from $15 upwards, and good ones for less than that price—but our hand finished ones begin at $15, and when they cost more than that, the difference comes in finer material and extra workmanship.

We would thank you to study the prices and the descriptions of the garments mentioned below. We would ask you to bear in mind that any garment bought here is not yours until you are satisfied, that we will keep them pressed for you while they last, and that any garment that does not prove satisfactory will be replaced. Can anything be fairer?

Hand Finished Suits

$15

With the arrival of a couple styles yesterday, the fifteen dollar line of hand-finished fall suits is complete.

Thirty-five styles in all—young men's and men's—to pick from in this line at $15.00.

Shuman's and "Eff Eff" models—the Princeton, Smartsac and Gramercy—give variety to the makes. Coats have broad shoulders, easy fitting backs and short skirts. The collars and shoulders are about perfect—hand tailoring is responsible for it.

About every fabric style is included in the assortment—Black Thibet and worsted cheviots, plain mixed cassimeres in neat effects, and bright Scotch mixtures, so popular with the younger fellows this season—all tastes are catered to in the $15.00 line, the biggest and most worthy shown by any house.

The Merrimack originated the hand-finished feature in $15.00 suits and top coats in Lowell, and has always given prominence to garments at this price. We say, buy a fifteen dollar suit if you can afford it—it's economy for you—at no less price can you get so much for your money.

Better cloths and more expert making in the finer ones, of course—nobby, exclusive styles at $18.00, $20.00, $22.00, $23.00, $25.00 and $28.00.

High Grade Top Coats

$20

Our finest top coats are now $20.00. Covert cloths and Venetians of splendid weight—can be worn for four works yet—in olive, tan and oxford shades.

They're strictly "jour." tailored: the collar, shoulders and lapels are padded and felled by hand, and the buttonholes are hand sewn, quite an addition to the cost of making, but more than worth it in service.

They're cut 32 and 34 inches long, broad chested, fit the collar snugly, and hang loosely from the shoulders.

Many in the line; the silk lined garments—were priced at $25.00.

They're excellent values at $20.00.

A Worthy Rain Coat

All Wool and Well Tailored

$10

A low price for such a garment when you consider the length.

It's all wool—in an olive shade of covert cloth—cut 52 inches long, has broad shoulders, satin lined, and will shed rain.

The ten dollar price is unusual for such a coat—it's worth two dollars more.

Sterling Values in Clothes for Boys

Honest fabrics and excellent tailoring combine to produce clothes that wear and hold their shape.

Double Breast and Norfolk Suits

The jacket suit—plain, double breasted or single breasted Norfolk—is the popular boys' suit for fall.

They can be had here as low as $2.00 for either style and you can pay as high as $7.00.

The best showing is at $5.00—these are from our best makers—which means that the fit and the making are the best produced in America.

These $5.00 suits are made of sturdy materials—worsted cheviots, fancy cheviots and double-and-twist cassimeres—that keep the active boy guessing to wear them out.

There are eight styles at this price to choose from—all pure wool or wool and worsted.

Three-Piece Suits for boys 10 to 17 years, in plain colors and fancy mixtures, $5.00, $6.00, $7.50 and $10.00.

Sailor Suits, including the new double breasted sailor with eton collar—made from plain serges and undressed worsteds, in blue, royal, red and brown, at $3.00, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

Russian Suits, in similar cloths, for little fellows 2½ years to 6—a choice showing of new styles, at $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

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Cold winds will soon be blowing. The birds have already taken their way towards southern homes. Nature is putting on the garb of autumn and everything speaks of the coming winter. If men and women put off buying until need time came everybody would be overwhelmed, nothing could be properly done. Why not prepare for the time that is coming and visit The Bon Marche today or tomorrow. The stocks are bright and glittering, new things from the four corners of the earth are here on review, and you cannot find a better time in the whole season to lay in your winter supply than RIGHT NOW. Read over this list of attractions and see if some one of them hasn't the necessary compelling influence to turn your steps hitherward.

Trimmed Hats

AT $2.98

This stylish Hat is on the tailored order. The foundation is of pure white Scotch felt, bound with a stitched band of silk. The bell crown is surrounded by a wreath of snowy coquettiffts. A smart velvet bow relieves the left side.

AT $3.98

The popular champagne shade. The brim is bound with stitched silk. Wings in brown and white are caught to the top with a large bow of brown velvet ribbon in a most attractive manner.

AT $4.98

The foundation of this Hat is of taffeta silk in folds. The bell crown is surrounded by a wreath of black chenille pompons. Silk ribbon forms a smart bow at the side. A large square jet buckle finishes the back.

AT $5.98

This graceful shape is developed in oxford grey felt. The wide brim is rolled high at the left side. Many loops of narrow black satin ribbon form a band around the crown. The two plumes are finished with jet quill ends.

Zibeline Walking Suit

$15.98

Satin lined blouse skirted coat with box platted back, deep shoulder, cape in the new pointed effect, with other trimmings of piped taffeta and buttons. The skirt is a 9-gored flare, tailor finish (blue only.)

A Steel Costume

$18.98

A copy of a high priced suit. Very fine mixtures. Coat is made with belted half fitted back and box front. Large mutton leg sleeves. Gauntlet cuffs. Steel ornament trimmings front and back. Guaranteed satin lining. Seven gored flare skirt with welted seams. Look at costumes five or six dollars higher in price, then compare with this one.

English Covert Suit

$22.50

All wool English covert (tan color), deep skirted blouse, with sailor stitched strapping front and back. New bishop sleeves, lining of fine satin, skirt full gored flare with trimmings to match coat.

A Dress Suit

$27.50

All wool Lymansville cheviot, side platted Russian blouse jacket, collarless effect, with scalloped cape. Cape has trimmings of fancy braid, taffeta silk lining. Coat opens to show vest which has trimmings of black and red on bands of white embroidery. The skirt is made to conform to the fashion of the coat.

New and Unique Premiums to Arrive

Thousands of articles suitable for Christmas gifts. We have recently placed orders for the finest and largest line of premiums ever offered by a trading stamp concern. This line will commence to arrive at our stores within a few weeks, and will be complete by the latter part of November.

If you expend a reasonable amount of energy between now and Christmas time, you can fill many books with "Sperry & Hutchinson" Green Trading Stamps. Through them

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The well informed appreciate the fact that there is *no substitute* for "Sperry & Hutchinson" Green Trading Stamps.

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WE OWN AND OPERATE MORE STORES THAN ANY OTHER CONCERN IN THE WORLD

Waists and Silk Petticoats

Shirt Waists

FANCY CHEVIOT WAISTS, 98c each—White, front composed of six deep tucks and two large medallions, French back, large sleeves.

ZIBELINE WAISTS, $1.25 each—Grey, full front of six tucks and fancy black buttons, plain back, new sleeves and fancy stock.

STRIPED CHEVIOT WAISTS, $1.49 each—Has black dots, tucked front, trimmed with large fancy buttons, French back, 2 in. cuff and new stock.

SCOTCH FLANNEL WAISTS, $1.98 each—Fancy effects, full front, French back, large sleeves, and fancy stock.

Charming Silk Petticoats

We select three numbers for publicity, not because they are the best numbers we have in stock, but because they are the most representative styles we could select. We would like to have you examine this assemblage of stylish garments. We know the reasonableness of the prices garments. We know the reasonableness of the prices will appeal to your sense of thrift even as their beauty will call forth your words of praise.

NO. 1, TAFFETA SILK PETTICOAT, $4.98—Black only, good quality Taffeta, flounce composed of 3-5 in. Ruffles and deep hem, also dust ruffle; all sizes up to 44 in.

NO. 2, CHANGEABLE SILK PETTICOAT, $5.98—Good quality silk, 10 in. flounce with three strapped circulars; green, red, blue and grey; changeable and black.

NO. 3, COLORED SILK PETTICOATS, $6.98—Extra heavy quality silk, 15 in. flounce with three deep circulars, balance of flounce finished with eight rows of hemstitching, also dust ruffle.

$8.00 WORTH OF STAMPS WITH EVERY DOLLAR PURCHASE OF

Ingalls' Laundry Goods

'Tis done simply to introduce a splendid laundry article. Makes ironing a pleasure. Keeps the irons smooth and gives a fine finish to the garments.

DEMONSTRATION IN THE BASEMENT.

Dress Trimmings

'Tis well nigh impossible in these columns to give any adequate idea of the beauty of these assortments. They have been selected with the greatest care and we can assure our public that they will find upon our shelves all the wantable things in vogue this coming autumn season. Just a few hints regarding styles and prices.

WOOD SILK BRAIDS, 8c to $2.00 yard—In plain and openwork designs, plain and fancy edges, narrow and wide, black and colors. We carry over 100 styles of this swell trimming, for it is "the" thing this fall.

APPLIQUES, 25c to $4.00 yard—The colorings are exquisite; Rosebud designs that rival their prototypes in beauty, Leaf and Vine patterns that are striking copies of the natural, Medallions, Persians, effects that make you clutch your pocketbook light if they are beyond your limit in price; all in all the handsomest line we have ever shown.

BLACK SPANGLED TRIMMINGS, 50c to $5.00 yard—Bands, medallions, ornaments, edges and all-over effects.

BLACK SILK FRINGES, 39c to $2.00 yard.

BAND TRIMMINGS, 12½c to $2.00 yard—Black and fancy colors.

ORNAMENTS, 10c to $1.00 each—Black, white and colors, plain and fringe effects.

FUR TRIMMINGS, 12½c to $2.00 yard—Coney, Beaver, Nutria, Bear, Sable, Opossum, Pink, Imitation Ermine, White Lamp, Grey Crimmer, Squirrel, Chinchilla, Swansdown, Fur Heads, Tails, etc.

FALL SHOWING OF . . . . .

Dress Goods and Silks

CAMEL'S HAIR CLOTH, 49c yard—38 in. wide, all colors.

GRANITE CLOTH, 59c yard—44 in. wide, all the new shades.

ENGLISH SUITINGS, $1.00 yard—50 in. wide, "broken stripes."

PARISIAN SUITINGS, $1.50 yard—56 in. wide, black plaids in blue and white and black and white.

PRIESTLEY'S CRAVENETTES, $2.00 yard—60 in. wide, absolutely water proof, sponged and shrunk, dark Oxfords and browns.

GERMAN NOVELTIES, $1.00 yard—56 in. wide, extra heavy.

CAMEL'S HAIR CLOTH, $1.00 yard—62 in. wide, panne finish, in blue, brown and green.

COVERT CLOTH, $1.00 yard—52 in. wide, browns and tans, a splendid material for long coats.

FINETTA, 89c yard—44 in. wide, in blues, browns, greens, modes and black.

CAMEL'S HAIR BOUCLE, $1.50 yard—56 in. wide.

BLACK TAFFETA SILK, 69c yard—It is 27 in. wide, full lustre, guaranteed wear. A silk that should and does sell for 89c yard, except on special occasions. This is one of the special occasions, so we have marked it 69c yard. Think of it! A saving of 20c a yard. A splendid thing for Shirt Waist Suits. (Note the width.)

BLACK PEAU DE SOIE SILK, 69c yard—And usually sells for the same price as the Taffeta (89c yard). It is a very soft finish and double face. The width is 21 inches.

HEAVY GRANITE SUITING, 75c yard—It is 50 in. wide and readily sells for 98c yard, but for this sale we have marked it at above price. The colors are black and white and blue and white.

HEAVY MELTON, $1.00 yard—It is 56 in. wide, strictly all wool, beautifully finished, and comes in all the wantable shades, such as brown, navy and dark medium and light greys. The regular price on this material is $1.25 per yard.

The Shoe Dept.

Is richer by a "bran-nu" line of Women's Shoes. They were made by one of the best known makers of footwear in this country. Every pair bears the indelible stamp of worthiness and our guarantee accompanies every pair that leaves our store. They are a popular price and are made upon new and up-to-date lasts. The styles are **Lace and Button in Vici Kid, Dongola and Box Calf, either Patent Leather or self Tips; some have heavy soles for street wear, others lighter soles for dress occasions.**

You can't go wrong if you invest in a pair of "The Bon Marche" (that's their brand) Shoes. The price **$2.00 PAIR**

KNOCK AT THE DOOR OF OUR

New Photograph Studio

and enter in. It may surprise you. It has a great many. You can get on the elevator and it will take you right up to as charming a place as you'll find in a week's travel. We make all kinds of pictures, and we guarantee satisfaction in every way. We finish amateur work and our prices are very reasonable. We take the picture of invalids in their homes, also all sorts of interiors, etc., and our rates will make you more than satisfied.

DON'T MISS THESE GOOD THINGS IN THE

Jewelry Section

PEARL BELT BROOCHES, 25c each—In oval, square, round and heart shaped; plain and carved. These are an odd lot we picked up very cheap, some of them are worth $1.00 while none in the lot sold for less than 50c.

LOCKETS, 50c each—Gold with fancy stone settings. Just the idea for a bead chain.

BEAD CHAINS, 50c each—Lorgnette length, a leading novelty. We secured 5 gross at an unheard of price. Some are worth $1.50, some $1.00. We put them on sale this morning at above price.

HAT PINS, 7c each—In Silver, Gun Metal Oxodized, Royal Copper, and Gilt. Every pin is worth and has always sold for 25c.

TWELVE STRONG ITEMS

In Domestics

BLEACHED SHEETS, Each 39c—Size 72x90, good cotton; 50c would be the proper price.

SKIRT PATTERNS, Each 23c—Plain and Fancy Flannelettes.

FACE CLOTHS, Each 2c—Turkish—5c value.

TOWELS, Each 10c—Huckaback—size 19x41 (please note the size), always 12½c each.

COMFORTERS, Each 98c—Full size, filled with pure white cotton. $1.25 would be a reasonable price.

DOMET FLANNEL, Yard 3½c—White, good width always 5c yard.

DIAPER CLOTH, Piece 39c—18 inches wide, slightly imperfect. Perfect goods, sell at 69c piece.

BERKSHIRE PLAIDS, Yard 12½c—Best quality, excellent for school dresses.

BLANKETS, Pair 49c—10x4, white, grey or tan, all perfect.

HANDKERCHIEFS, Each 2c—Women's hemstitched. A big bargain.

BATH ROBE BLANKETS, Each $2.39—31 styles and colorings, a leader at above price.

SASH CURTAINS, Pair 25c—All made, ready to put up, full yard long, stripes and dots.

Toilet Specials

CUTICURA SOAP, 17c.
WOODBURY'S SOAP, 14c.
COMFORT POWDER.
HINDS' H. & A. CREAM, 33c.
R. & G. TOILET WATER, 65c.
R. & G. TOILET SOAP, 11c.

HARK! WE ARE TALKING TO YOU ABOUT

Men's Goods

MEN'S HEAVY GREY SWEATERS, 49c Each—(Worth 69c).

MEN'S HEAVY DOG-SKIN GLOVES, $1.15—(Tanners) worth $1.50.

MEN'S HEAVY WOOL HOSE, 2 Pairs for 25c—And we have actually sold the selfsame stocking for 25c pair.

Something for That **Sweet Tooth**

SAINT NICHOLAS CHOCOLATES, 14c lb.—Pure and fresh. Regularly 20c lb.

SADIE MAC WON

Smathers' Horse Took Kentucky Futurity

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 9—Sadie Mac., E. E. Smathers' recent purchase, yesterday won the historic Kentucky futurity for 3 year olds, without apparent effort in three straight heats, going the last mile in 2.12 3-4, which is two seconds short of the record made by Fereco, three years ago. She won by several lengths in each heat and only at one time was she in danger and that was in the first seven eighths of the first mile, when Ethel's Pride kept nose to nose with her. Ethel's Pride, however, broke and finished bad in all three heats. The two mares made the first quarter in 32 seconds.

The pure gaited little trotter with frictionless mechanism utilized every movement of her body in shortening the distance between her and the goal. Every muscle that she brought into play counted for time and distance. The track was lumpy and damp and fully three seconds slow when the starters in the Tennessee stake were called at 2 o'clock.

Sunshine and harrows had gotten the track into a little better shape by the time the futurity was called. Among 5000 people who saw Sadie Mac take the first money was Mr. Johnson, of Calais, Me., who sold her as a yearling for $1000.

Her driver, Ar. McDonald, sold her to Mr. Smathers Tuesday for $20,000.

Baron Gale, Katherine A., and Lizzie A., won second, third and fourth, respectively.

Grace Bond, favorite for second place, won the two year old futurity in straight heats, going the first heat in 2.17 3-4, three and three quarters seconds short of the record made by Katherine A., last year.

Nervola won the Tennessee 2.08 pacing race in three heats and the operators, were in many cases, so chilled and weak that they could scarcely stand after leaving their machines.

TOOK HIS CLOTHES

NASHUA MAN FELL INTO HANDS OF ROBBERS.

Charles O'Neil of Nashua came to Lowell recently and when he returned to his own fireside it was found that his wearing apparel, including his shoes and necktie, had been changed for ones that were almost worthless. He was half-starved and weary when he got home.

DIVORCE GRANTED

TO WIFE OF ABSCONDING TREASURER ALLEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Judge Grant of the probate court, yesterday, granted the petition of Mrs. Adaline A. Allen, asking for a degree that will permit her to live apart from her husband, Willard S. Allen, the absconding treasurer of the Preachers' Aid society.

She alleged that she was the lawful wife of Allen and that he had failed to furnish her with suitable support, having deserted her without cause and that she, for justifiable cause, was living apart from him. She named three children, Chester W., Mary A., and Clara Allen.

She asserted she wanted to be relieved of coverture so as to enable her to dispose of her real and personal property without her husband's consent.

There was no opposition to the granting of the petition, so it was allowed. Mrs. Allen may sell the house in Lexington street and any other property coming to her by reason of her marriage.

DR. A. K. DRAKE

Elected Superintendent of General Hospital

BY HOSPITAL DIRECTORS AT REGULAR MEETING

Has Had Much Hospital Experience

Dr. Arthur K. Drake, of the State hospital at Tewksbury, was yesterday elected superintendent of the Lowell General hospital, at a meeting of the executive committee of the trustees held in the afternoon.

For the past three years Dr. Drake has been assistant superintendent of the State hospital and a very efficient official. He is 30 years of age, unmarried, a graduate of Harvard, and has had 10 years' hospital experience. He is well known here among the members of the medical fraternity, all of whom speak highly of him.

Dr. Drake will not only have general charge of the affairs of the hospital, but he will also direct the work of the Training school for nurses. He will give a regular series of lectures on the topic of benefit to nurses.

POWDER MAGAZINES

SITE NEAR CITY FARM VISITED YESTERDAY.

A sub-committee of the overseers of the poor, accompanied by Supt. Hals, visited the proposed site of the street department's powder magazine in the vicinity of the old rifle range, yesterday afternoon. The locality appears to be reasonably safe for a magazine. No action was taken.

41 NAMES

ADDED TO VOTING LIST BY REGISTRARS.

The registration at City Hall yesterday resulted in the placing of forty-one new names on the voting lists. The registration by wards was as follows: Ward one, 4; Ward two, 7; Ward three, 4; Ward four, 4; Ward five, 4; Ward six, 4; Ward seven, 4; Ward eight, 1; Ward nine, 9. Total 41. This makes six less than Wednesday. The hours of registration today will be from 2 o'clock until 3 and from 7 until 8.

100,000 MEN

CANADA PLANS TO HAVE STRONG ARMY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 9.—Sir Frederick Borden, minister of militia and defense in the house yesterday on a vote of $1,300,000 for arms and equipment, said that it was intended to have a force of 100,000 to be called on in case of emergency. Of these 40 per cent, will be enlisted at once and nearly one-half will be called upon for annual drill. The other 60 per cent, will be supplied with arms and ammunition and will be ready in case of trouble.

All the officers and non-commissioned officers will have to turn out for annual drill. The ordnance corps, an engineer corps and a mounted corps will be established at once.

LAID ON TABLE

Order to Build New York Street Bridge

HELD BACK IN THE STREET COMMITTEE

Committee Gone to Inspect Bridges

The committee on streets had a tour of inspection yesterday afternoon with a meeting at City Hall in the evening.

Little business of importance came up and the session was a brief one.

On the petition for sidewalks on Puffer and B streets the committee recommended leave to withdraw, but sidewalks were recommended on C and Lincoln streets.

The petition for a sidewalk on Vernon street was referred to the city engineer as it involves the cutting down of a large tree and the lowering of a grade.

On motion of Councilman Fleming the petition for the paving of Hampshire street with tar macadam was taken from the table. The estimate for the work is $12,286. He moved that it be recommended and the motion was passed.

Councilman Fontaine, as a sub committee on New York street, reported that a $1000 bond had been given by August Fels and D. J. Murphy, binding them to put the street to grade if the city would build a bridge for them across Beaver Brook.

Councilman Braden asked whether, if a new Pawtucket bridge was built, a span of the present structure could be used for Beaver brook.

The city engineer replied that the span would be too long, and could not be used for a 40-foot bridge. Pawtucket bridge might be utilized for a narrower country bridge, and could be sold as such, but that was all.

The estimate for the Beaver brook bridge is $27,000. Alderman Molloy moved that it be recommended. Upon amendment of Councilman Greenwood it was voted to lay the matter upon the table, Messrs. Molloy and Roche opposed.

The committee voted to go to Boston today to inspect bridges, as the guests of a bridge contractor, who has patented a new kind of steel and concrete bridge, which is said to combine the good qualities of stone and iron at a less expense.

City Engineer Bowers gave a report on the proposed extension of Fifth avenue. The cost of the land taken would be $2815, the owners not desiring the extension of the avenue at this time.

It was voted to call for an estimate for the whole cost of the work.

The committee adjourned to Monday night.

BODY IDENTIFIED

PATRICK CUFF DIED EIGHT DAYS AGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WINOOSKI, Vt., Oct. 9. A body which for eight days has been lying unclaimed and unrecognized in the rooms of a local undertaker has been identified as that of Patrick Cuff, of Providence, R. I. Relatives in that city will send funds to defray the expenses of the burial of the man. The identification was made by the man's sister, Miss Mary Cuff, who came here to visit her brother, not having heard of his death. She left town almost immediately after identifying the body, and the officials here then communicated with other relatives in Providence.

$10,000 DAMAGE

Caused by Water at Boston Fire

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—In extinguishing a fire which of itself caused a loss of but $5, in the Ruse, Ingalls and Evelyn Manufacturing plant on Bedford street last night, damage estimated at $10,000 was caused by a deluge of water from automatic sprinklers.

In addition to Ruse, Ingalls and Evelyn the building was occupied by the J. H. North company, dealers in hats, caps and gloves. The loss is about equally divided between the occupants.

CHESTER GOODWIN

WON HIS MATCH WITH BILLY SYNOTT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Oct. 9.—Chester Goodwin of Chelsea won over Billy Synott of Fall River last night, in the 12th round, within 15 seconds of the time limit of the contest. Synott was game, but Goodwin was his master at all styles of fighting and gave Synott quite a grueling.

In the preliminaries Swords of Fall River won from Lew Dockstader of Camden, N. Y., and Bobby Tickle and Young Campbell went six rounds to a draw.

You can't expect to weave white satin with blackened hands, any more than you can expect good results from papers with a bogus circulation.

WEDDING GIFT...

We suggest to you, if it is to be a chair or rocker, that you see the handsome styles shown in the willow.

A very comfortable and durable chair for a living room. Cushions covered with French tapestries or cretonnes.

Adams & Co.,

Furniture and Carpets.

174 CENTRAL ST.

Appleton Bank Block.

RIFLE CONTEST

By Honorary Members of Company C

AT THE DRACUT RIFLE RANGE

Some Very Creditable Scores Made

The shoot of the honorary members of Co. C, M. V. M., was held yesterday afternoon at the Dracut rifle range, and proved to be a grand success, despite the rawness of the weather.

The crowd that gathered at the range included a number of leading men of this city and out of town military men, who are honorary members of the company and nothing but jollity and good fellowship reigned.

Many of the old timers were out of practice, but despite this the scores put up were good ones, the targets being 200 yards distant.

The scorers stationed at the shooting boxes were Corp. R. W. Eastman, Private R. J. Young, Musician M. J. Doyle, Privates C. J. Kelleher, G. R. Ludgren and William Dunfey.

Two strings of five shots each were shot by the competitors, the preliminary string placing the men in two classes, divided among those who shot over 18 and those whose score was under that number. Prizes were offered for the preliminaries, as well as for the two final classes.

The winners' prizes and final scores were as follows:

Preliminaries—Captain Livingston, lamp given by G. H. Wood, 20, Lieut. A. D. Colby, clock, 19; Sergt. Alex Peters, chocolate pot, 19.

Second class—J. A. Williamson, military brushes, 24; W. Burnett, picture, 24; Jeremiah Murphy, stein, 22.

First class—Capt. O. M. Pratt, cup, 41.

Consolation prizes—P. C. Moore, stein, 21; Cyrus Barton, pitcher, 21; R. W. Eyan, tobacco jar, 20.

The number qualifying for the first class was so small that it was decided that but one prize would be offered in this class and that the others should be given as consolation prizes. Capt. Pratt was the successful man of the first class.

A large number of the men shot several strings outside of the shooting for prizes and excellent scores were made.

Mayor Howe made a score of 48 and Lieut. A. D. Colby scored 25 out of a possible 25 in a five-shot string. All shooting was interspersed with sociability and there was considerable bantering and joking about former days when the older members were more active in military circles and of the merry times at the encampment of the state militia.

Following the shooting a turkey supper was served in the hall after which there was speaking by a large number of the prominent older members. Col. R. S. Ripley was introduced by Capt. Kittredge as the toastmaster. Col. Ripley called upon Edwards Cheney as the representative of the mayor, who had left before the banquet, and Mr. Cheney spoke in an interesting manner on military matters and social affairs connected with the company.

Police Commissioner Pearson was then called upon and congratulated the members on the success of the event. He, too, went into the history of the company, stating that its organization dated back before the incorporation of the city of Lowell, 1836. Capt. Kimball, William Decatur, Capt. Pratt, City Clerk Badman, F. L. Weaver, Lieut. Keyes, Charles Frost and others were called upon. For the press, Lawrence Cummings, Edgar M. Hill, C. Frederick Goldthwaite and Willis Bean were called upon and each spoke briefly. Fire Chief Hosper was called and made a few interesting remarks.

Much of the success of the event is due to the efforts of Capt. Kittredge, and the lieutenants and non-commissioned officers who assisted.

SENT TO JAIL

COLORED MEN DISTURBED A MEETING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Granville Martin and William M. Trotter, the two colored men found guilty of disturbing a meeting in the Columbus avenue church when Booker T. Washington was present, were yesterday sentenced by Judge Sherman in the superior criminal court to serve 30 days in jail.

ON THE ALLEYS

PASTIMES DEFEATED BY THE BELVIDERES.

The Belvideres of this city defeated the Pastimes of Nashua on Les Miserables alleys last night in a duck pin game. The local aggregation lost the first string, but the second and third they won by good margins. Cowen of the winning team was high man with a three-string total of 273.

The score:

Belvideres—Cole 259, Queenan 278, Bowen 253, Fullerton 257, King 264; totals 1304.

Pastimes—Fowksberry 230, Wheeler 257, Ward 219, McQuestion 263, Mason 237; totals 1282.

HIGH ROLLERS DOWNED.

The clerks of the Boston & Maine railroad defeated the High Rollers in a game of duck pins last night. The score:

Boston & Maine Clerks—Paradis 221, Carr 228, Cogoshall 233, Shaw, 254, Edgell 218; totals 1157.

High Roller—Richardson 220, Showman 227, Forrest 211 220, McDonald 253, Stearns 239; totals 1175.

SOCIAL AND DANCE

UNDER AUSPICES OF LINCOLN CLUB.

The Lincoln club held a pleasant social and dance in Associate hall last evening, which was attended by about 100 couples. The evening was passed in a most delightful manner by those in attendance. The Appalachian orchestra furnished music for the dancers. The hall was decorated in an attractive manner with settings of palms and potted plants about the stage and other adornments in different parts of the hall.

The general manager was Clarence Baker. He was assisted by Z. A. Cutrauds as floor director and members of the club acted as aids.

THE BIG BARGAIN SHOE STORE

39c Children's Jersey Leggins, all button, knee high, sizes 5 to 10, manufactured to sell for 50c. Our price **39c**

NEW IDEA SHOE CO.

Nos. 119 and 121 Merrimack Street, Lowell, Mass.

LADIES BLACK FELT SLIPPERS—plush trimmed, flannel lined, other stores ask 50c. Our price **39c**

LADIES' UP-TO-DATE RUBBERS—first quality. Hood make, regular price 50c. Our price **29c**

LADIES' LAMB WOOL SOLES—regular price 19c. Our price **15c**

LADIES' PATENT AND KID ONE STRAP DANCING SLIPPERS—sizes 2½ to 7, regular price $1.00. Our price **69c**

MISSES' BOX CALF SCHOOL SHOES—leather lined, sizes 12 to 2, made with low heel and solid leather soles, regular price $1.50. Our price **$1.19**

CHILDREN'S BOX CALF SCHOOL SHOES—made with heavy soles, sizes 9 to 11, regular price 65c. Our price **49c**

CHILDREN'S DONGOLA KID SHOES—made with heavy soles, lace only, sizes 5 to 8, regular 50c shoes. Our price **39c**

LITTLE GENT'S SATIN CALF SCHOOL SHOES made with low heels and solid leather soles, regular price 89c. Our price **69c**

YOUTH'S "NO RIP" SCHOOL SHOES—sizes 8½ to 2, solid leather soles and heels, sold everywhere for $1.25. Our price **98c**

Boys' sizes 2½ to 5, $1.18.

YOUTHS' OIL GRAIN "NON-RIP" SCHOOL SHOES—all solid, warranted not to rip, sizes 13 to 2, made to sell for $1.00. Our price **69c**

MEN'S $3.00 WARRANTED BOX CALF ENAMEL SHOES—We give you a new pair for every pair that breaks. All hand sewed. Our price **$2.29**

MEN'S FELT SHOES—full soles, warm lined, later in the season everybody will ask you $1.50 and $2.00. Our price **$1.19**

19c Ladies' 10-Button Overgaiters—sizes 3 to 8. Later in the season other dealers will ask you 29c. Our price **19c**

We Repair Shoes as They Ought to be Repaired—Strictly Hand Work

Clothing Facts From The . . . . . **Merrimack**

And the

Importance of Being Well Dressed

There is no longer any excuse for business men not dressing up-to-date. It is neither good business nor good taste, and a business man who does not recognize this fact is at least exercising very poor judgment. He errs just in the same way that many a new housewife does, who thinks that after she gets married and takes up household duties, she need have no further concern about her appearance, when as a matter of fact, she ought to be as careful about these things after marriage as before. It would have a salutary effect upon her husband. And so it is with the business man of today who approaches you upon any business proposition, who is not dressed neatly and in fashion, his wares are at a disadvantage.

Business suits should be neat, not over stylish, they can be well fitted, but not over expensive. You can no longer claim that you have not time to go to the tailor, you can come into the Merrimack and get a hand-finished suit to please any taste, to fit any figure from $15 upwards, and good ones for less than that price—but our hand finished ones begin at $15, and when they cost more than that, the difference comes in finer material and extra workmanship.

We would thank you to study the prices and the descriptions of the garments mentioned below. We would ask you to bear in mind that any garment bought here is not yours until you are satisfied, that we will keep them pressed for you while they last, and that any garment that does not prove satisfactory will be replaced. Can anything be fairer?

Hand Finished Suits

$15

With the arrival of a couple styles yesterday, the fifteen dollar line of hand-finished fall suits is complete.

Thirty-five styles in all—young men's and men's—to pick from in this line at $15.00.

Shuman's and "Eff Eff" models—the Princeton, Smartsac and Gramercy—give variety to the makes. Coats have broad shoulders, easy fitting backs and short skirts. The collars and shoulders are about perfect—hand tailoring is responsible for it.

About every fabric style is included in the assortment—Black Thibet and worsted cheviots, plain mixed cassimeres in neat effects, and bright Scotch mixtures, so popular with the younger fellows this season—all tastes are catered to in the $15.00 line, the biggest and most worthy shown by any house.

The Merrimack originated the hand-finished feature in $15.00 suits and top coats in Lowell, and has always given prominence to garments at this price. We say, buy a fifteen dollar suit if you can afford it—it's economy for you—at no less price can you get so much for your money.

Better cloths and more expert making in the finer ones, of course—nobby, exclusive styles at $18.00, $20.00, $22.00, $23.00, $25.00 and $28.00.

High Grade Top Coats

$20

Our finest top coats are now $20.00. Covert cloths and Venetians of splendid weight can be worn for four weeks yet—in olive, tan and oxford shades.

They're strictly "Jour." tailored; the collar, shoulders and lapels are padded and felled by hand, and the buttonholes are hand sewn, quite an addition to the cost of making, but more than worth it in service.

They're cut 32 and 34 inches long, broad chested, fit the collar snugly, and hang loosely from the shoulders.

Many in the line; the silk lined garments—were priced at $25.00.

They're excellent values at $20.00.

A Worthy Rain Coat

All Wool and Well Tailored

$10

A low price for such a garment when you consider the length.

It's all wool—in an olive shade of covert cloth—cut 52 inches long, has broad shoulders, satin lined, and will shed rain.

The ten dollar price is unusual for such a coat—it's worth two dollars more.

Sterling Values in Clothes for Boys

Honest fabrics and excellent tailoring combine to produce clothes that wear and hold their shape.

Double Breast and Norfolk Suits

The jacket suit—plain, double breasted or single breasted Norfolk—is the popular boys' suit for fall.

They can be had here as low as $2.00 for either style and you can pay as high as $7.00.

The best showing is at $5.00—these are from our best makers—which means that the fit and the making are the best produced in America.

These $5.00 suits are made of sturdy materials—worsted cheviots, fancy cheviots and double-and-twist cassimeres—that keep the active boy guessing to wear them out.

There are eight styles at this price to choose from—all pure wool or wool and worsted.

Three-Piece Suits for boys 10 to 17 years, in plain colors and fancy mixtures, $5.00, $6.00, $7.50 and $10.00.

Sailor Suits, including the new double breasted sailor with eton collar—made from plain serges and undressed worsteds, in blue, royal, red and brown, at $3.00, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

Russian Suits, in similar cloths, for little fellows 2½ years to 6—a choice showing of new styles, at $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

The new Overcoats are ready.

Merrimack Clothes are Carefully Fitted and Altered Where Necessary by Jour. Tailors Before the Sale, and Are Kept Pressed Free After, at Customers' Pleasure.

The Merrimack Clothing Company...

Tailored Clothes for Men and Women—Across from City Hall

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PREPARATION

Cold winds will soon be blowing. The birds have already taken their way towards southern homes. Nature is putting on the garb of autumn and everything speaks of the coming winter. If men and women put off buying until need time came everybody would be overwhelmed, nothing could be properly done. Why not prepare for the time that is coming and visit The Bon Marche today or tomorrow. The stocks are bright and glittering, new things from the four corners of the earth are here on review, and you cannot find a better time in the whole season to lay in your winter supply than RIGHT NOW. Read over this list of attractions and see if some one of them hasn't the necessary compelling influence to turn your steps hitherward.

Trimmed Hats

AT $2.98

This stylish Hat is on the tailored order. The foundation is of pure white Scotch felt, bound with a stitched band of silk. The bell crown is surrounded by a wreath of snowy coquetitfts. A smart velvet bow relieves the left side.

AT $3.98

The popular champagne shade. The brim is bound with stitched silk. Wings in brown and white are caught to the top with a large bow of brown velvet ribbon in a most attractive manner.

AT $4.98

The foundation of this Hat is of taffeta silk in folds. The bell crown is surrounded by a wreath of black chenille pompons. Silk ribbon forms a smart bow at the side. A large square jet buckle finishes the back.

AT $5.98

This graceful shape is developed in oxford grey felt. The wide brim is rolled high at the left side. Many loops of narrow black satin ribbon form a band around the crown. The two plumes are finished with jet quill ends.

Zibeline Walking Suit

$15.98

Satin lined blouse skirted coat with box plaited back, deep shoulder, cape in the new pointed effect, with other trimmings of piped taffeta and buttons. The skirt is a 9-gored flare, tailor finish (blue only.)

A Steel Costume

$18.98

A copy of a high priced suit. Very fine mixtures. Coat is made with belted half fitted back and box front. Large mutton leg sleeves. Gauntlet cuffs. Steel ornament trimmings front and back. Guaranteed satin lining. Seven gored flare skirt with welted seams. Look at costumes five or six dollars higher in price, then compare with this one.

English Covert Suit

$22.50

All wool English covert (tan color), deep skirted blouse, with sailor stitched strapping front and back. New bishop sleeves, lining of fine satin, skirt full gored flare with trimmings to match coat.

A Dress Suit

$27.50

All wool Lymansville cheviot, side plaited Russian blouse jacket, collarless effect, with scalloped cape. Cape has trimmings of fancy braid, taffeta silk lining. Coat opens to show vest which has trimmings of black and red on bands of white embroidery. The skirt is made to conform to the fashion of the coat.

Waists and Silk Petticoats

Shirt Waists

FANCY CHEVIOT WAISTS, 98c each—White, front composed of six deep tucks and two large medallions, French back, large sleeves.

ZIBELINE WAISTS, $1.25 each—Grey, full front of six tucks and fancy black buttons, plain back, new sleeves and fancy stock.

STRIPED CHEVIOT WAISTS, $1.49 each—Has black dots, tucked front, trimmed with large fancy buttons, French back, 2 in. cuff and new stock.

SCOTCH FLANNEL WAISTS, $1.98 each—Fancy effects, full front, French back, large sleeves, and fancy stock.

Charming Silk Petticoats

We select three numbers for publicity, not because they are the best numbers we have in stock, but because they are the most representative styles we could select. We would like to have you examine this assemblage of stylish garments. We know the reasonableness of the prices garments. We know the reasonableness of the prices will appeal to your sense of thrift even as their beauty will call forth your words of praise.

NO. 1. TAFFETA SILK PETTICOAT, $4.98—Black only, good quality Taffeta, flounce composed of 3-5 in ruffles and deep hem, also dust ruffle; all sizes up to 44 in.

NO. 2. CHANGEABLE SILK PETTICOAT, $5.98—Good quality silk, 10 in. flounce with three strapped circulars; green, red, blue and grey; changeable and black.

NO. 3. COLORED SILK PETTICOATS, $6.98—Extra heavy quality silk, 15 in. flounce with three deep circulars, balance of flounce finished with eight rows of hemstitching, also dust ruffle.

$3.00 WORTH OF STAMPS WITH EVERY DOLLAR PURCHASE OF

Ingalls' Laundry Goods

'Tis done simply to introduce a splendid laundry article. Makes ironing a pleasure. Keeps the irons smooth and gives a fine finish to the garments.

DEMONSTRATION IN THE BASEMENT.

Dress Trimmings

'Tis well nigh impossible in these columns to give any adequate idea of the beauty of these assortments. They have been selected with the greatest care and we can assure our public that they will find upon our shelves all the wantable things in vogue this coming autumn season. Just a few hints regarding styles and prices.

WOOD SILK BRAIDS, 8c to $2.00 yard—In plain and openwork designs, plain and fancy edges, narrow and wide, black and colors. We carry over 100 styles of this swell trimming, for it is "the" thing this fall.

APPLIQUES, 25c to $4.00 yard—The colorings are exquisite; Rosebud designs that rival their prototypes in beauty, Leaf and Vine patterns that are striking copies of the natural, Medallions, Persians, effects that make you clutch your pocketbook tight if they are beyond your limit in price; all in all the handsomest line we have ever shown.

BLACK SPANGLED TRIMMINGS, 50c to $5.00 yard—Bands, medallions, ornaments, edges and all-over effects.

BLACK SILK FRINGES, 39c to $2.00 yard.

BAND TRIMMINGS, 12½c to $2.00 yard—Black and fancy colors.

ORNAMENTS, 10c to $1.00 each—Black, white and colors, plain and fringe effects.

FUR TRIMMINGS, 12½c to $2.00 yard—Coney, Beaver, Nutria, Bear, Sable, Opossum, Fitch, Imitation Ermine, White Lamp, Grey Crimmer, Squirrel, Chinchilla, Swansdown, Fur Heads, Tails, etc.

FALL SHOWING OF . . . . .

Dress Goods and Silks

CAMEL'S HAIR CLOTH, 49c yard—38 in. wide, all colors.

GRANITE CLOTH, 59c yard—44 in. wide, all the new shades.

ENGLISH SUITINGS, $1.00 yard—50 in. wide, "broken stripes."

PARISIAN SUITINGS, $1.50 yard—56 in. wide, block plaids in blue and white and black and white.

PRIESTLEY'S CRAVENETTES, $2.00 yard—60 in. wide, absolutely water proof, sponged and shrunk, dark Oxfords and browns.

GERMAN NOVELTIES, $1.00 yard—50 in. wide, extra heavy.

CAMEL'S HAIR CLOTH, $1.00 yard—52 in. wide, jaune finish, in blue, brown and green.

COVERT CLOTH, $1.00 yard—52 in. wide, browns and tans, a splendid material for long coats.

FINETTA, 89c yard—44 in. wide, in blues, browns, greens, modes and black.

CAMEL'S HAIR BOUCLE, $1.50 yard—56 in. wide.

BLACK TAFFETA SILK, 69c yard—It is 27 in. wide, full lustre, guaranteed wear. A silk that should and does sell for 89c yard, except on special occasions. This is one of the special occasions, so we have marked it 69c yard. Think of it! A saving of 20c a yard. A splendid thing for Shirt Waist Suits. (Note the width.)

BLACK PEAU DE SOIE SILK, 89c yard—And usually sells for the same price as the Taffeta (89c yard). It is a very soft finish and double face. The width is 21 inches.

HEAVY GRANITE SUITING, 75c yard—It is 50 in. wide and readily sells for 98c yard, but for this sale we have marked it at above price. The colors are black and white and blue and white.

HEAVY MELTON, $1.00 yard—It is 56 in. wide, strictly all wool, beautifully finished, and comes in all the wantable shades, such as brown, navy and dark medium and light greys. The regular price on this material is $1.25 per yard.

The Shoe Dept.

Is richer by a "brand-new" line of Women's Shoes. They were made by one of the best known makers of footwear in this country. Every pair bears the indelible stamp of worthiness and our guarantee accompanies every pair that leaves our store. They are a popular price and are made upon new and up-to-date lasts. The styles are **Lace and Button in Vici Kid, Dongola and Box Calf, either Patent Leather or self Tips; some have heavy soles for street wear, others lighter soles for dress occasions.**

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Jewelry Section

PEARL BELT BROOCHES, 25c each—In oval, square, round and heart shaped; plain and carved. These are an odd lot we picked up very cheap, some of them are worth $1.00 while none in the lot sold for less than 50c.

LOCKETS, 50c each—Gold with fancy stone settings. Just the idea for a head chain.

BEAD CHAINS, 50c each—Lorgnette length, a leading novelty. We secured 5 gross at an unheard-of price. Some are worth $1.50, some $1.00. We put them on sale this morning at above price.

HAT PINS, 7c each—In Silver, Gun Metal Oxodized, Royal Copper, and Gilt. Every pin is worth and has always sold for 25c.

TWELVE STRONG ITEMS

In Domestics

BLEACHED SHEETS, Each 39c—Size 72x90, good cotton; 50c would be the proper price.

SKIRT PATTERNS, Each 23c—Plain and Fancy Flannelettes.

FACE CLOTHS, Each 2c Turkish—5c value.

TOWELS, Each 10c—Huckaback—size 19x41 (please note the size), always 12½c each.

COMFORTERS, Each 98c—Full size, filled with pure white cotton. $1.25 would be a reasonable price.

DOMET FLANNEL, Yard 3½c—White, good width always 5c yard.

DIAPER CLOTH, Piece 39c—18 inches wide, slightly imperfect. Perfect goods, sell at 69c piece.

BERKSHIRE PLAIDS, Yard 12½c—Best quality, excellent for school dresses.

BLANKETS, Pair 49c—10x4, white, grey or tan, all perfect.

HANDKERCHIEFS, Each 2c—Women's hemstitched. A big bargain.

BATH ROBE BLANKETS, Each $2.39—31 styles and colorings, a leader at above price.

SASH CURTAINS, Pair 29c—All made, ready to put up, full yard long, stripes and dots.

Toilet Specials

CUTICURA SOAP, 17c.
WOODBURY'S SOAP, 14c.
COMFORT POWDER.
HINDS' H. & A. CREAM, 33c.
R. & G. TOILET WATER, 65c.
R. & G. TOILET SOAP, 17c.

HARK! WE ARE TALKING TO YOU ABOUT

Men's Goods

MEN'S HEAVY GREY SWEATERS, 49c Each—(Worth 69c).

MEN'S HEAVY DOG-SKIN GLOVES, $1.15—(Tanners) worth $1.50.

MEN'S HEAVY WOOL HOSE, 2 Pairs for 25c—And we have actually sold the selfsame stocking for 25c pair.

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SAINT NICHOLAS CHOCOLATES, 14c lb.—Pure and fresh. Regularly 20c lb.

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Thousands of articles suitable for Christmas gifts. We have recently placed orders for the finest and largest line of premiums ever offered by a trading stamp concern. This line will commence to arrive at our stores within a few weeks, and will be complete by the latter part of November.

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SADIE MAC WON

Smathers' Horse Took Kentucky Futurity

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 9—Sadie Mac, E. E. Smathers' recent purchase, yesterday won the historic Kentucky futurity for 3 year olds, without apparent effort in three straight heats, going the last mile in 2.12 3-4, which is two seconds short of the record made by Ferrero, three years ago. She won by several lengths in each heat and only at one time was she in danger and that was in the first seven eighths of the first mile, when Ethel's Pride kept nose to nose with her. Ethel's Pride, however, broke and finished last in all three heats. The two mares made the first quarter in 32 seconds.

The pure gaited little trotter with frictionless mechanism utilized every movement of her body in shortening the distance between her and the goal. Every muscle that she brought into play counted for time and distance. The track was lumpy and damp and fully three seconds slow when the starters in the Tennessee stake were called at 2 o'clock.

Sunshine and harrows had gotten the track into a little better shape by the time the futurity was called. Among 5000 people who saw Sadie Mac take the first money was Mr. Johnson, of Calais, Me., who sold her as a yearling for $1900.

Her driver, Ar. McDonald, sold her to Mr. Smathers Tuesday for $20,000.

Baron Gale, Katherine A., and Lizzie A., won second, third and fourth, respectively.

Grace Royal, favorite for second place, won the two year old futurity in straight heats, going the first heat in 2.17 3-4. Once and three quarters seconds short of the record made by Katherine A., last year.

Nervola won the Tennessee 2.08 pacing race in three heats and the operators, were in many cases, so chilled and weak that they could scarcely stand after leaving their machines.

TOOK HIS CLOTHES

NASHUA MAN FELL INTO HANDS OF ROBBERS.

Charles O'Neil of Nashua came to Lowell recently and when he returned to his own fireside it was found that his wearing apparel, including his shoes and necktie, had been changed for ones that were almost worthless. He was half-starved and weary when he got home.

DIVORCE GRANTED

TO WIFE OF ABSCONDING TREASURER ALLEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Judge Grant of the probate court, yesterday, granted the petition of Mrs. Adaline A. Allen, asking for a degree that will permit her to live apart from her husband, Willard S. Allen, the absconding treasurer of the Preachers' Aid society.

She alleged that she was the lawful wife of Allen and that he had failed to furnish her with suitable support, having deserted her without cause and that she, for justifiable cause, was living apart from him. She named three children, Chester W., Mary A., and Clara Allen.

She asserted she wanted to be relieved of coverture so as to enable her to dispose of her real and personal property without her husband's consent.

There was no opposition to the granting of the petition, so it was allowed. Mrs. Allen may sell the house in Lexington street and any other property coming to her by reason of her marriage.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.43	8.56	6.00	7.07
6.22	7.40	6.30	7.26
e6.39	7.30	7.54	8.54
6.42	7.33	8.25	9.01
e7.01	8.02	e9.00	9.58
e7.24	8.10	9.20	9.57
7.31	e 8.50	e10.00	10.57
7.45	8.35	10.17	11.34
8.50	9.40	e11.30	12.07
9.40	10.40	12.00	12.56
11.00	12.01	e1.00	1.29
e11.43	12.25	1.15	1.51
s12.14	1.00	2.00	3.01
1.40	2.50	e3.00	3.24
e4.50	2.30	3.47	5.00
3.01	4.20	4.14	5.30
e5.17	4.30	e5.00	5.58
4.02	4.45	5.38	6.28
4.25	5.30	5.47	6.54
e5.22	6.15	6.14	7.27
5.44	7.10	e7.30	8.05
e8.22	7.05	e8.20	9.05
e8.19	8.06	10.39	11.34
8.42	9.35	11.20	12.22

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
e7.20	7.32	9.00	10.02
7.24	8.16	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.46	5.00	5.58
9.20	10.12	e7.40	8.05
s4.25	5.30	e8.20	9.05
e5.58	7.04	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.02	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.30	4.55
2.30	3.44	4.25	5.45
3.30	4.10	4.50	6.20
3.55	5.04	6.04	7.05
5.00	6.43	6.35	7.48
6.15	7.15	8.30	10.40
7.00	8.01	11.15	12.15
9.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8.15	9.27	6.00	8.17
12.05	1.26	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.25
5.30	6.55	8.40	9.40
8.45	9.45		

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AT THE CASTO

Special care is taken in the selection of each program at the Casto theatre that there is something which will please the children. Every Saturday afternoon sees the Casto crowded with the school children. For the little ones they know that at the Casto they can secure a very pleasant two hours' enjoyment. For this week the program headed by Edward M. Favor and Edith Sinclair in their merry comedy, "The Mirror," contains some of the best acts on the vaudeville world and they are sure to please the children. Tomorrow evening is the last performance for this show and reserved seats should be secured in order to avoid the crowd. These may be obtained at the box office from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. or by calling telephone 355-3.

CAPT. FRANK DEAD

WAS FORMER PRESIDENT OF ROYAL GARRISON BAND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 9.—H. C. Franks, captain and adjutant of the Royal garrison regiment, died here last night. He was 41 years of age, had seen 17 years' service and was a popular officer. He was band president of the Royal garrison regimental band, now at Boston, previous to Capt. Scanlon being appointed to that position, and was a favorite with the members of the band. He will be buried with full military honors Saturday. He was a son of Gen. Franks of the British army. He served with distinction with the frontier forces on the west coast of Africa from 1887 to 1888 and was mentioned in dispatches.

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AT REGISTRATION

Democrats Started It Yesterday

WILL BOOM FROM NOW UNTIL CLOSE

Two Big Democratic Rallies Coming

The democratic city committee started registration at fall last yesterday afternoon, and from 1 to 7 o'clock while the registrars' office was open, the lower corridors of city hall contained quite a gathering, while the eastern side of Assessor Mahoney's long out from the assessors' office as he piled his questions to applicants for tax bills.

Several of the democratic candidates were present at City hall during the session of registration, and all were most hopeful of a big democratic registration.

Chairman Quinn of the democratic city committee yesterday received a communication from the state central committee inviting him to select a date for a big rally as soon as possible so that the best speakers may be sent to Lowell. Chairman Quinn informed The Sun reporter that it is the intention of the city committee to hold two big rallies in this city before state election, while it is probable that the senatorial and representative candidates will have district or ward rallies.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At a meeting of the Y. M. C. I. of Belvidere, last evening, plans were made for a social to be held in Huntington hall, Thanksgiving evening, and a committee of twenty was appointed as follows:—

Geo. Clark, Harry Finley, Howard Wood, Patrick Mooney, Eugene Sullivan, Benjamin McMinamin, John Green, Joseph McCarron, Edward Quindan, Charles Burns, Bert Burnham, Anthony Doyle, Arthur T. McQuade, John F. Martin, Edward F. Shea, Robert Whalen, Thomas Kelley, Wm. Clark, A. S. Rountree, John X. Payne, Daniel A. McQuade, Thomas A'Hearn, Joseph Courtney, Arthur J. McQuade.

At the last regular meeting of Lowell Commandery, Knights of Malta, the black degree was conferred upon five candidates. One applicant was elected to membership. The committee on social party was empowered to make that event a mixed party instead of a gentleman's party as originally projected. Preliminary arrangements were made for a visit to Newburyport Nov. 6, at which time the Lowell staff will work the Red Cross on the occasion of the institution of a new commandery in that city.

The regular session of Merrimack Valley Lodge, I. O. O. F. M. U., was held last evening at the lodge rooms with a large attendance. One application for membership was received. The lodge will hold its eleventh anniversary Thursday evening, Oct. 22. Essex lodge of Lawrence has been invited.

Refreshments will be served and a musical program given.

The regular meeting of Washington Commandery, United Order of the Golden Cross, was held last night and was very largely attended. One candidate was initiated. Plans for the proper observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the order were discussed, and among other things it was voted to invite the brother members of seven commanderies to participate in the ceremonies. An excursion for the members of the order will be held in the near future. The proper negotiations for the payment of a death claim of $2000 were made.

The Pilgrim Fathers of the Bay State Colony had an installation of officers last night.

Governor Shannon was in the chair and had charge of the business meeting. The following officers were elected: Governor, James Taylor; lieutenant governor, Ella Murphy; secretary, Jonathan Webster; treasurer, Dennis Dillsworth; collector, Charles W. Matherson, chaplain, Martha Mott; sergeant-at-arms, Solomon McAlpin; deputy sergeant-at-arms, Mr. Coolidge; sentry of the inner gate, Pilgrim Warren; sentry of the outer gate, Pilgrim Abbott; pianist, Miss Johnson; trustee for three years, Pilgrim Warren.

The installation service was performed by Deputy Supreme Hughes of Lawrence. The dinner was served under the direction of Pilgrim Lady Taylor and staff.

The retiring governor was quite surprised by his friends by being presented with an ex-governor's jewel. Mr. Hughes made the presentation speech, which was fittingly answered by the recipient of the gift.

A good time of song followed the dinner. One of the features of the evening was a speech by retiring sergeant-at-arms Wilbur.

The Solon W. Stevens Debating society held a well attended meeting last night, discussing the subject: "Is Marriage a Failure?" A good debate has been arranged for October 22.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

THE HONOURABLES

GIVEN RECEPTION IN MADISON SQUARE GARDEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—Last night the Honourables were given a reception at the Old Guard fair in Madison Square Garden by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston, with other local and visiting military organizations.

Besides the London and Boston companies there were present 40 members of the Newport Artillery, accompanied by the band of the Seventh Artillery Corps, stationed at Fort Adams, Newport, R. I., and plenty men of the Ninth regiment, New York National Guard. The most picturesque of all the citizen soldiery there were the Minute Men of Washington.

The Honourables and Ancients began to arrive at the garden about 9 o'clock after they had been given a banquet at the Waldorf-Astoria by George G. Boldt.

Col. Hedges, commander of the Boston Ancients, and Adjutant General Dalton of the staff of Gov. Bates of Massachusetts, arrived with the majority of the company from Boston about 10 o'clock and were shown around the booths by Major Briggs, of the Old Guard. Soon after, the Earl of Denbigh, with Lady Denbigh and Sir Thomas Lipton came in and made a tour of all the attractions and then went to a theatre.

CAPT. BARTHOLOMEW DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 9.—Captain Perry Bartholomew, treasurer and paymaster of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, who has been ill for some time with lung trouble, died at his home here yesterday.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

JOHN M. FARRELL, Auctioneer
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Heirs' Sale of Real Estate at Public Auction
SATURDAY, Oct. 10, 1903, at 2 P. M.
RAIN OR SHINE

By consent of the heirs of the late Thomas Gallagher, I will sell to the highest bidder, the eight room house and about 3623 square feet of land, more or less, situated on the southerly side of West Sixth street, No. 152.

This house was built of the very best material and great pains was taken to have a very comfortable home. It has three very pleasant chambers up stairs, large hall, parlor, sitting room, dining room, sewing room, kitchen, bath room with hot and cold water; all lighted with gas, with pretty gas fixtures in every room. Has a high posted, well lighted cellar, with cemented bottom; water closets, sewer, and everything that a person would wish in a home.

The house is 1½ story, with bay window, set up well from the street, with piazza on the side that leads to a very pretty garden, with grass lawn, set out with pear, plum, apple, cherry, and peach trees; grape vine trails over shed in rear, also shrubs, etc. Has concrete walks, sidewalks and edge stones all in, is well fenced, in fact there is not one thing to be done to this place that could improve it.

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SIX O'CLOCK

FAY vs. HUNT

Case of Four Years' Standing Called to Trial

The jury in the case of Yarnold ad'x. vs. Bowers et al., which opened in the superior court the day before yesterday, was charged this morning and retired at 10.50.

The next case called was that of Fay vs. Hunt et al. The plaintiff in this case is Peter A. Fay, and the defendants are John L. Hunt and Dr. Edward Holt. This is an action of contract in which the plaintiff seeks to recover the face value of a promissory note which called for $73. The case grew out of an action brought by one Harriet Hall against a man named Quirk, and during the pendency of the action, it is claimed that the plaintiff assigned her claim to the Boston & Maine railroad.

This case has been tried in the police court, civil session of the superior court, and supreme court, and in each case the plaintiff has received judgment from the court, but it is claimed that payment has been evaded by the defendants. This case has been going on for four years.

The case was opened by Lawyer Fay, who is the plaintiff in the case, and who intended to conduct his own case, but the court told him that he had better call in another lawyer to appear for him, and the case was placed in the hands of Lawyer Cowley. Lawyer Masterson appeared for the defendants.

The first witness was Mr. Fay, who testified to receiving the promissory note signed by Messrs. Hunt and Holt. Witness said that the interest on the note had been paid, but that principal had never been paid.

John L. Hunt was the first witness for the defense. Witness went on to tell of the early proceedings in which he received judgment in the police and superior courts for his client, Harriett Hall and told of the assigning of the claim to the railroad without his knowledge. Witness then told of action being taken against him.

When asked what led up to the signing of the note, witness said Mr. Fay came to him and said: "Now, Mr. Hunt, I tell you what I will do in regard to this money. If you pay the costs I will take a note for the balance in Dr. Holt's name and stop all proceedings."

On cross-examination witness said that Mr. Holt and he had signed the promissory notes given to Mr. Fay.

Assistant Clerk Trull of the local police court was placed on the stand. He had several of the court's records with him in which were entered proceedings of Harriett Hall against John L. Hunt.

The court asked Mr. Masterson what he was trying to bring out by introducing the books. Counsel for the defense said that he wished to show the proceedings that were recorded, but the court said that the other side had admitted that suit proceedings had taken place.

Mr. Holt at this point whispered to Lawyer Masterson and as a result of the inaudible conversation Mr. Hunt was placed on the stand and Mr. Masterson asked:

"What effect did these proceedings have on your state of mind and health?"

Lawyer Crowley objected to this question and the court excluded it, and Mr. Masterson took exceptions.

"That's all," said Mr. Masterson, and Mr. Hunt leaving the stand had another whispered consultation with his counsel, with the result that Mr. Hunt took the stand again for the third time.

"Were you influenced to any great extent to sign this note?"

"I object," said Mr. Crowley, and the question was excluded by the court, but once more Mr. Masterson filed another exception.

Edward Holt was then called and corroborated the testimony of the previous witness, but during the testimony a number of objections were raised by Mr. Crowley and in each instance the question was excluded by the court and Lawyer Masterson filed exceptions.

The case of Fay vs. Hunt et al., was given to the jury at 2.30 o'clock, and shortly before three o'clock the jury reported a verdict in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of $73.60, but owing to the fact that they had not computed the interest they were sent to their room again and a few minutes later reported a verdict of $78.57 for Mr. Fay.

When the jury in the above case went out it left but eight jurymen in court owing to the fact that the jury in the case of Yarnold vs. Bowers had not reported, therefore the court excused the jurymen until Monday morning. At the time of going to press the jury in the Yarnold vs. Bowers case had not reported.

After the court had excused the jurymen not on cases a motion to admit new parties in the case of George D. Danforth vs. Groton Water Co., was heard. William H. Bent argued the motion and Charles L. Conant was against it.

NEW CANDIDATES

Notified of Their Nomination by the Fusionists

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—Registration for the approaching municipal election began today, but the storm that swept over the city prevented thousands of the electors from presenting themselves for enrollment. Reports received at republican and citizen's union headquarters up to noon indicated light registration above fourteenth street and normal enrollment below that thoroughfare. Representatives of the citizen's union assert that the opponents of fusion were planning to import and colonize illegal voters. They said they had engaged an extra force of watchers to guard against fraud.

Frederick W. Hinrichs and Edward McGuire, the newly nominated fusion candidates for comptroller and president of the board of aldermen, were formally notified of their selection today.

Timothy L. Woodruff, in speaking for the republicans, denied the assertion of Comptroller Grout that fusion was being republicanized. He said that but two republicans had been placed on the ticket and that in reality the republican party had been fusionized.

Among the things said by Mr. Hinrichs in accepting the nomination was this:

"Everyone who is honest with himself must confess that what has been accomplished, though largely due to ability and integrity of purpose—would have been impossible if the old order of things, which placed organization before city, politics before business, selfish advantage before faithful service—had been present."

Mr. Maguire in accepting said that the officials of the Low administration had not been sullied by the taint of foul money and that no mysterious fortune had been gained by any of them. He asserted that there was not a single serious blot on the record of the Low administration yet at the end of its stewardship it was threatened with destruction. It was threatened, he said, by an appeal to the partisanship of a democratic city and that the democratic party would be in better position if the present leaders in the city were repudiated.

District Attorney Jerome re-entered the campaign for a brief period today with a statement in which he propounds four questions to Comptroller Grout. The questions follow:

"Does Mr. Grout think that he was nominated by Tammany hall because of the admiration that that organization felt for his personal character and record as comptroller and as a testimonial of its respect for an efficient public officer?

"Did Mr. Grout think that his nomination by Tammany Hall would help or hurt the candidacy of George B. McClellan?

"If he thought it would hurt the candidacy of George B. McClellan will he tell us why?

"And if he thought it would help the candidacy of George B. McClellan how could he be loyal to Mr. Low, while doing an act that would injure Mr. Low's chances of election?"

IN POLICE COURT

Man Who Sold Diseased Horse

HAD HIS CASE CONTINUED ONE WEEK

Man Assaulted in Sterling Mill

The case of Lester S. Franklin of Chelmsford, who is charged with selling a horse afflicted with the glanders, a contagious disease, came up on continuance in police court this forenoon and was again continued. A man in Methuen bought the horse that Franklin sold and the man contracted the disease.

STRUCK WITH STEEL ROLLER.

There was the least bit of trouble in the Sterling mill in Lawrence street a few days ago and as a result of that trouble William P. Hennessey got a black eye and a swollen face. He said the overseer, William H. Holgate, did it. He said he struck him with a steel roller but Mr. Holgate says he didn't. They both told their stories to Judge Pickman today. Holgate was the defendant and the court ordered that he be discharged.

TO THE TRUANT SCHOOL.

John Latour and Joseph Fournier were charged with being habitual truants. Latour was sentenced to the truant school for a term of 18 months and Fournier was placed on probation.

CIRCASSIA FOUND NOT GUILTY.

Circassian C. M. Christie was charged with being a stubborn child. Her case came up on continuance and Judge Pickman found her not guilty.

For drunkenness, five first offenders were fined $2 each.

THREE MEN KILLED

Turks Made Attack on Bulgarians

By Associated Press to The Sun

KOSTENDIL, Bulgaria, Oct. 9.—A battalion of Turkish troops occupying a post at Karamanitza yesterday crossed the Bulgarian frontier and attacked a Hungarian blockhouse.

In consequence of the Turkish superiority in numbers, the Bulgarian detachment retired, firing on the invaders.

The Turks subsequently attacked the village of Guvesevo and looted a number of houses but, on the approach of Bulgarian reinforcements, retired.

Three Turks were killed.

DECKER'S BROTHER DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORWICH, Conn., Oct. 9.—Henry Decker, aged 47 years, a brother of John Decker, the man who was arrested while loitering around the White House at Washington a few days ago, died at his home here today of brain trouble.

CINCINNATI GAME POSTPONED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 9.—Cleveland-Cincinnati game postponed on account of cold weather. The game unfinished yesterday will be finished at Cincinnati, next Monday, weather permitting.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Cloudy tonight with rain in southern and southeastern portions. Saturday fair; Saturday cooler; brisk to high north to east winds.

BADLY INJURED

Automobile Wrecked on Broadway Bridge

Ex-Mayor Fifield was slightly injured and his father quite seriously injured in an automobile accident that happened on the bridge in Broadway, near Wilson's coal office at 10.30 this forenoon.

The front axle of the machine broke and the machine, driven by electricity, capsized, throwing Mr. Fifield and his father to the ground and in the course of its manoeuvering, the machine landed on both men, holding them prisoners until help arrived.

The batteries were still thumping away and the wires had to be cut before the wheels stopped revolving. Mr. Fifield was able to assist in caring for his father, who was unconscious. He was badly cut about the head. It is thought that one shoulder is dislocated and that he is internally injured. The ex-mayor was bruised about the head, face and body, but it is thought that his injuries are not necessarily serious.

The older man was cared for at Wilson's coal office until the arrival of the ambulance, which was summoned immediately upon the occurrence of the accident.

Mr. Fifield did not regain consciousness and was removed to his son's home, corner of Middlesex and Canton streets.

The machine is a total wreck. The spokes in all the wheels were broken and the top was torn off. The sides of the machine were stripped. The centre of gravity of the machine was quite high, higher than the ordinary machine, so that the fall was more severe. Those who witnessed the accident say that the front wheels caught in a guard rail and the pressure brought to bear in an attempt to release it, broke the axle.

The older Fifield's name is Sylvester. He is 85 years of age and the doctors fear that his injuries will prove too much for him. At the time of writing he was still unconscious and Dr. Irish was attending to him.

At 3.30 o'clock it was learned that Mr. Sylvester Fifield was resting more comfortably. He has regained consciousness. His left arm is broken and the wound in his head is a painful and somewhat serious one. Mr. Fifield belongs in Belmont, N. H., and is visiting his son, the ex-mayor. In reply to a question by the Sun reporter, Mr. Fifield said he didn't know if the wheel of the automobile was in the car track when the axle broke.

BADLY INJURED

Runaway Horse Had a Tough Time

A horse owned by a Mr. Fox got himself into all kinds of trouble in Nineteenth street Wednesday evening. He was tied to a tree box and while Mr. Fox was visiting his friend, Mr. Comerford, who lives in Nineteenth street, the horse started with a part of the tree box dangling.

He went across Bearon and Willard streets to the Lawrence road. Mr. Fox and Mr. Comerford started in pursuit and a little way along they found a wheel of the wagon, a little further another wheel was found and yet a little further fragments of the wagon were picked up.

About two miles out the men came upon the horse. He had collided with a barb wire fence and was fast in its meshes. He was badly cut and torn and it was a difficult task to extricate him. Veterinary Munn of Nineteenth street was summoned and attended to the horse's wounds.

CLOSING DAY

BUTCHERS WANT THURSDAY AFTERNOONS OFF.

A movement has been started to have all the grocery and provision stores in the city close each Thursday afternoon in the year. Some of the stores close already on Thursday afternoons, and it is the intention to have all do the same.

THE POWER OF A DOLLAR.

With the necessities of life pointing higher, increasing the living expenses out of proportion to the increased wage, it behooves the careful man to watch every dollar closely and buy where he can get the most for his money, without sacrificing quality. We know of no better illustration of the buying power of a dollar than the street gloves shown by the Merrimack Clothing Co. Every season as the business increases the quality is finer. This fall's stock is great—you'll say they're worth $1.50—Regular and cadet sizes—in all the correct fall shades.

SNATCH THIEVES

Took Girl's Pocketbook in Barclay Street

Look out for snatch thieves! Such is the warning sent out from police headquarters. Snatch thieves are more in evidence in the fall than at any other season of the year and some of them have already began operations in Lowell.

About nine o'clock last night Susie Frazer was set upon by snatch thieves in Barclay street and they got away with her pocketbook containing a small amount of money. She was returning to her home in Lincoln street and at the corner of Barclay she saw two young men standing. As she went to pass by one of them grabbed her pocketbook which she carried in her hand and both young men ran through Barclay street. Miss Frazer was badly frightened. She reported the matter to the police.

Keiser Baratheas, the richest and most serviceable of neckwear silks, selling at 50c at the Merrimack Clothing Co.

MAY BE MURDER IN NASHUA

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., OCT. 9.—MRS. BRIDGET NASH DIED AT THE CITY HOSPITAL HERE TODAY AS THE RESULT OF BURNS RECEIVED AT HER HOME ON WARREN STREET DURING THE NIGHT. THE POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING A REPORT THAT A LAMP WAS THROWN AT THE WOMAN AND THAT HER CLOTHING CAUGHT FIRE FROM THE FLAMING OIL, CAUSING FATAL INJURIES. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT MRS. NASH MADE NO ANTE-MORTEM STATEMENT.

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The theory that four-fifths of the baldness in men is due to wearing tight fitting, hard hats, has been advanced by one of the Metropolitan dailies in an exhaustive treatise on the subject.

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It's an excellent argument in favor of the easy fitting soft hat for men's wear.

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At any rate, it's worth thinking about. Why not talk it over with the hat man at the Merrimack.

TILLMAN'S STORY

Defendant Testified in Murder Trial

THE EDITORIALS BY GONZALES WERE INTENSELY BITTER

His Story of the Shooting Told to Jury

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, S. C., Oct. 9—The examination of James H. Tillman at a late hour yesterday as a witness in his own behalf was resumed today when court convened.

Tillman was asked what impression was made upon him by the editorials written by Gonzales. He replied that they were intensely bitter. He denied making a number of threats that have been testified to as being uttered by him and as to one notable one, said it had been reported to him that the opera house in Columbia, where he was to speak, was to be packed and he was not to be let out alive. He stated, he said, if that threat was carried out it would be the — — tragedy in South Carolina.

Tillman giving his version of the shooting said he was walking from the state house in company with Senators Talbird and Brown, the former being on the outside. He latter on the inside. Before reaching the transfer station he said he noticed Gonzales down the street looking at him very intently. He said he deliberately had on his overcoat, buttoned. He says he never took his eyes from Gonzales and that Gonzales did not take his eyes off him. He said Gonzales had on an overcoat tightly buttoned, with hands in his pockets, thumbs sticking out. Gonzales cut diagonally across in front of him he said, and the thumb of his right hand disappeared in his pocket. He said he thought Gonzales was going to draw a weapon and he (witness) fired first, saying "I got your message." The message he said referred to the statements reported to him by witnesses White and Holzenbach. These statements were to the effect that Gonzales had said he had Tillman show the white feather twice before and would do it again. The defendant said he did not fire a second shot as Gonzales did not draw a pistol.

On cross-examination the defendant said he had reason to expect from the manner he saw Gonzales that he Gonzales would shoot when they met. He also said he sent word to Gonzales to come to the meeting in Columbia and make his charges then, saying he did this so he could reply to them. The cross-examination consumed one hour.

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New York Expert Found Forged Endorsements to Paper of the Company—The Concern Now in Hands of Receiver

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 9.—As far as can be learned from the police authorities and others interested, no steps have yet been taken towards the prosecution of any persons as the result of the statement made public today that a New York handwriting expert had found forged indorsements to papers of the Worcester & Southbridge street railway company aggregating $1,000,000. The road is now in the hands of receivers, for purposes of re-organizing and C. M. Thayer, speaking for those officials said today that the matter of forged indorsements was a matter for action by those whose names were forged rather than by the receivers. George W. Wells, one of the principal stockholders of the road, whose name is the one alleged to have been found illegally affixed to the notes of the company said that he could not discuss the question, as he had engaged counsel in Boston to act for him. He would not confirm or deny the statement that forgeries had been discovered or that criminal proceedings would be taken.

Inquiry by telephone at the office of the Boston counsel of Mr. Wells met with no better result. The court officials and the police here have received no intimation that arrests are to be made.

The Worcester & Southbridge railroad, with an allied line, the Worcester, Rochdale & Charlton Depot Street Railway went into the hands of receivers about two months ago. Two pleasure resorts operated by the roads also were included in the receiverships.

From the time the news of the trouble first became known, hints at fraud were heard, but until the present announcement that forgery had been discovered no developments had been made public.

LAWYER CHOATE DECLINES TO TALK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Lawyer C. F. Choate of this city, who, it is understood, represents George W. Wells, the large stockholder in the Worcester & Southbridge Street Railway company, declined today to make any statement as to the present status of the financial trouble of the company. Whether criminal prosecution will be forced as a result of the alleged forgeries, Mr. Choate would not say. He would not state by whom the handwriting expert was employed, nor would he confirm the statement that extensive forgery had been found.

Dyspepsia

Don't think you can cure your dyspepsia in any other way than by strengthening and toning your stomach.

That is weak and incapable of performing its functions, probably because you have imposed upon it in one way or another over and over again.

You should take

Hood's Sarsaparilla

It strengthens and tones the stomach, and permanently cures dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. Accept no substitute.

KAFFIRS WEAK

BUSINESS OPENED DEPRESSED ON LONDON CHANGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 9.—Business on the stock exchange today opened depressed owing to renewed fears of embarrassments of firms in London and abroad. The weakness of Kaffirs was due to forced selling in connection with the failure of a firm of speculators which was not connected with the stock exchange, but which some months ago bolstered Kaffirs to fancy prices. The firm's guarantee for $5,000,000 was among those accepted by former Colonial Secretary Chamberlain in connection with the floating of the Transvaal loan.

THE NEW CABINET

HAS TAKEN UP THE GOVERNMENT WORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 9.—The new cabinet ministers have assumed their duties, the seals of office having been exchanged at a privy council meeting held by King Edward at Buckingham palace this morning. All the retiring officials and their successors were present, with the exception of the Duke of Devonshire, the late lord president of the council, and Mr. Arnold-Forster, the new war secretary. The latter was indisposed and the former was subsequently received in private audience by the king.

TO REDUCE EXPENSES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANILA, Oct. 9.—A commission is now engaged in reducing the number of municipalities in the different provinces of the island. This will greatly reduce the expenses of the government.

KEEP YOUR TROUSERS PRESSED.

Nothing looks so slack on a business man, or any man for that matter, as baggy trousers. A pair of trousers should be pressed once a week at least, oftener if convenient.

The Merrimack Clothing Co. makes a feature of pressing free their customers' clothes. Careful men appreciate this liberal policy. It saves them a good round sum in the course of a year.

Other things equal, isn't it natural to expect that such service will determine a man where to buy his fall suit?

BUILDING DEPT.

Must Make Repairs at City Hospital

CITY SOLICITOR'S OPINION TO THAT EFFECT

Sent to Committee on Accounts

The city solicitor today handed down an opinion to the committee on accounts on the right of the overseers of the poor to approve bills for repairs upon the city farm buildings, which were made without the approval or direction of the superintendent of lands and buildings.

Early in the year a similar opinion was asked of Former City Solicitor Qua by the lands and buildings committee and he returned the opinion that all work of that nature at the city farm must be done by the superintendent of lands and buildings. The opinion handed down this morning refers to the former opinion and agrees with it in every detail.

Hence, it would appear that all such repairs henceforth must be made by the lands and buildings department, under the direction of the superintendent of lands and buildings, whether the overseers like the proposition or not, for the committee on accounts having received the city solicitor's opinion on the matter, will refuse to approve any more bills for repairs, not approved by Supt. Conlon.

The opinion given in regard to the overseers of the poor would appear to apply to other departments as well, notably the water and cemetery departments.

In the old days the superintendent of buildings did the work for all the departments without question, but of late the custom has been departed from, with the result as above.

"JOE'S" SOCIALS.

The opening of the fifteenth season of "Joe" Hibbard's popular Saturday night socials will be held at Prescott hall tomorrow night. Tickets admitting gentleman and lady, 25 cents.

DEXTER FINED $10

BALL PLAYER GAVE ABUSIVE MAN SEVERE PUNISHMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Charles E. Dexter, second baseman of the Boston National league baseball club, was fined $10 in the municipal court yesterday on a charge of having assaulted Frank Mehan, a motorman on the Boston Elevated railway, at Hotel Langham Tuesday evening.

The trouble started out of a discussion concerning the Pittsburg-Boston series. Dexter and Pitcher Malarkey were standing in the hotel office talking about the game played that day, when Meehan came in. There was evidence to the effect that Meehan wanted to bet on the Pittsburgs, and Dexter said that Meehan spoke slightingly and in abusive terms of the Boston players. Dexter reproved him for talking the way he did, as he said that the Boston players were his personal friends, although they were in a rival league, and he didn't propose to stand for hearing them abused in their absence.

Meehan was said to have insisted that the Boston players were no good, and dared Dexter and Malarkey to bet on the Bostons. They offered to bet him $150 on the Bostons and Meehan took them up. Each of the ball players put up $75 and called on Meehan to make good, but all he could show was $90, and some hard words followed. Dexter and Malarkey, William A. Johnson, the night clerk, and other witnesses, swore that Meehan called Dexter all the vile names he could turn a prolific tongue to, and wound up a torrent of abusive words by making a punch at Dexter, which knocked off his hat. Then Dexter sailed into him, and he said that he didn't know where he hit Meehan, but that he punched him anywhere he could.

The fight ended in the street, when Patrolman John Lane of Division 5 grabbed Dexter and arrested him on a charge of assault. Meehan had three cuts in his forehead and had to be taken to the City hospital, where two of the wounds were found so serious as to require stitches.

In announcing his decision Judge Wentworth said that Meehan's vile talk toward Dexter was provocative of assault, but that Dexter had gone too far in inflicting punishment on his traducer, and he made the sentence a fine of $10.

A NEW MONUMENT

WILL BE ERECTED TO THE SOLDIERS IN THE EDSON CEMETERY.

The Soldiers' Monument association met at City hall last evening and discussed plans for the future. Word was received from Mayor Howe that Huntington hall had been engaged for the association on December 9, 10 and 11. Whist parties will be held at the home of Mrs. Clough in Worthen street next Tuesday and at Post 88's hall a week later.

The monument will be in the Edson cemetery and whist parties and other entertainments will be held for the purpose of raising money to build the monument.

VENISON SEIZED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CALAIS, Me., Oct. 9. Warden Ross seized two saddles of venison in cases from the Boston steamer shipped from Calais to a Boston party late yesterday. Warden Ross expects to prove the game was bought in Canada and brought over the line.

THE PRESIDENT'S CALLERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Despite the heavy downpour of rain yesterday, President Roosevelt had an unusually large number of callers. At noon he greeted the 150 members of the New England Grocers' association and 300 members of the National Association of Retail Druggists now in session in this city. He shook hands with each. Scores of them stood for more than half an hour in a drenching rain awaiting their turn to enter the executive offices.

ATTACK OF APPENDICITIS.

Dolphis Lebeouf, aged 22 years, was taken suddenly ill while at work at the Tremont & Suffolk mills Wednesday and was removed to his home. An examination yesterday showed that he was suffering from appendicitis and he was taken in the ambulance to the Lowell hospital.

DRACUT LIBRARY.

Members of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the citizens of Dracut wish the public to know that the Dracut library is open on Saturdays from 9 a. m. till 5 p. m., and that the artistic memorial volume executed by Rose Turner and presented by Molly Varnum chapter can now be seen there.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

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$5.00 worth with 1 lb. Baking Powder.
$4.00 worth with 1 lb. 60c Tea.
$3.00 worth with 1 lb. 50c Tea.

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NAMES OF ROBBERS

TOLD TO POLICE BY ONE OF THEIR PALS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 9.—Guy Harshman alias Jim Connors, the bandit who was wounded in an attempt to hold up the Oregon railroad and navigation train at Corbett two weeks ago, has disclosed to the sheriff the names of the rest of the gang of train robbers.

According to Harshman, the leader of the band was Jim James, a distant relative of the notorious outlaw, Jesse James. The other members were George Underwood, "Bill" Morgan and his nephew, Charles Morgan, and himself.

Mme. P. L. Gregoire announces a special Saturday sale of millinery. See her advertisment.

Magnificent Display

Fall and Winter Millinery

SPECIAL SATURDAY SALE

500 Beautiful Trimmed Hats in all the latest shapes and colors; every one of these hats are made in our own work room. Saturday's price $1.48.
150 Hats made of velvet and draped with silk. Saturday's sale, $1.48.
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250 Beautiful Black Hats, jet crown and tucked, with Liberty silk brim; a large number of these are on the boat shape. For this sale, $1.98.
200 Fancy Made Hats, for this sale $1.98.
50 Outing Hats at..... 25c Each
75 Outing Hats at..... 50c Each
150 Outing Hats at..... $1.98 Each
200 Outing Hats at..... $1.48 Each
(All worth double the money.)

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On our Bargain Counter upstairs will be found an endless variety of Camel's Hair Hats, Children's School Hats, Fancy Feathers, Pompons, etc., a few of which are here mentioned:
6 cases of Camel's hair Hats, in all shapes and colors, 48c, 75c, 98c, $1.25, $1.48 and $1.75.
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50 stamps with 1 lb. 50. Baking Powder.
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CORNED BEEF.....8c to 6c lb.
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15c. lb.; tubs from 11c. lb. up.

CHOICE LINE OF TEAS.
75c best Oolong.....70c. lb.
60c best Formosa Oolong.....50c.; 1 lbs. $1
60c Golden Tips Assam.....50c.; 2 lbs. $1
40c Orange Pekoe.....27c.; 5 lbs. $1
40c English Breakfast.....30c.; 7 lbs. $1

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Get the new styles as soon as they are out. We have the best line in Lowell, from

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Not necessary to "go in out of the rain" if you wear one of these, from

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That new kind that you may see in the best stores in Boston and New York very few in Lowell have them yet. You can look stylish in one, from

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You have not seen the latest till you have looked over our line, make a selection and pay from

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at fully 25 per cent below the market price today. We placed these goods on sale this morning together with about 10 cases of Winter and Fall Underwear that remain in stock at the time of the transfer of this stock by our predecessors, which means about 50c on the Dollar.

Famous Wright's Underwear—Wool fleece, Jersey top, silk effect, silk front, tailored drawers, exceptionally good looking underwear that is worth $1.50 and sold for $1.50—here this sale

At 98c

Genuine Glastonbury Health Underwear—in natural and camel's hair—in single and double-breasted—soft cured lamb's wool—worth $1.50.

Sale price 98c

10 Styles of Rib Underwear—Non-irritating—soft, clingy garments—will wash well, also extra heavy double-breasted fleece lined—strictly high grade and worth 75c.

Sale price 48c

Five Cases of Wool Fleece, extra heavy underwear—there is not a garment made that will give better wear for rough usage—warm and healthful—they are worth $1.00, on sale

At 69c

2 Cases of extra heavy fleece lined—regular 50c quality.

Sale price 39c

Australian Wool Underwear, $1.50—three colorings made from luxurious, elegant and dependable worsted yarn—you pay $3.00 and get no better for service and comfort—these ought to be $2.50—we offer shirts and drawers in all sizes today, each

For $1.50

The Genuine Medlicott Underwear, the best and warmest underwear made—everywhere $4.00—here today

$3.00

Two Cases of Boys' Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, regular 45c quality. Today

At 23c

Full line Combination Suits—button across or up and down—in derby rib—all sizes. This great favorite underwear is worth $1.50. On sale today

For $1.00

Other grades of Combination Suits $1.50, $2.00, $3.00, $3.50.

100 dozen of extra heavy Blue Ribbed Genuine Contoocook Wool Sox, sold everywhere at 25c. On sale

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CRISIS AT HAND

Developments Expected Sunday in Chinese Feud

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Within 48 hours the police believe that the threatened clash between the Hep Sing Tong and the Ong Leung Tong societies will have begun.

Recent developments have convinced Captain Cain's men that three-quarters of Chinatown's residents are heavily armed. It is known that quantities of ammunition have been purchased by Chinese society members since the shooting last Friday and that dozens of chain shirts are being worn in anticipation of coming trouble.

Secret but certain information has been sent to the police that the funeral services over the body of the murdered Wong Yok Chung on Sunday will be the signal for an outbreak where men of both the rival tongs will in all likelihood prove victims.

But the trouble is apt to come even sooner—at any time after midnight Saturday, when Chinamen from all parts of the city and suburbs begin to pour in about Harrison avenue for the Sunday game. The meeting of opposite factions among the late arrivals is only too apt to lead to a repetition of last Friday night's tragedy.

Every Hep Sing Tong man will be in Chinatown on Sunday next. So will every member of the Ong Leung Tong. Imperative notices sent out from the headquarters of both organizations during the week make attendance at Sunday's funeral compulsory. And both sides, it is stated, are only too willing that the outbreak shall then begin.

In addition to these hundreds of other Chinamen who drop into Chinatown on Sunday for their weekly purchases will swell the population to considerably larger figures. This will make the arrest of the rioters, if the trouble does come, an exceedingly difficult proposition.

Probably the coolest man in Chinatown is Sin Tuy, the president of the Hep Sing Tongs. Though there is a price of $500 set upon his head by the Highbinders, and though the "hatchet men" are dogging his movements closely, he expresses the utmost contempt for the Ong Leong Tongs, and claims that his society will hold their own against their rivals whenever the clash comes.

"Let them try to put me out of the way, if they can," said he. "I am not afraid of the miserable Ong Leong Tongs. They are Boo How Boys, Highbinders, 'hatchet men,' anything you like to call them. It takes about six of them to whip a Hep Sing Tong man. They are all cowards; they fight in the dark. I have seen 20 of them run like rats when they saw a policeman coming. The only thing I fear is that they will not dare to come out in the open. They will hide in cellars and doorways. They do not dare to meet a Hep Sing tong man face to face.

"If any man kills me to get $500 he is a fool. He would never get his money from those miserable Ong Leongs. They would kill him, too, to save expenses.

"They won't dare attack my society. They are too cowardly to fight. If they saw a lot of us in a hole in the ground they would throw rocks on us and then run. They make me sick. Take drink much saki and talk big."

MRS. AVERY'S ROLE

MARTHA MOORE AVERY

Former Socialist Agitator Will Tour State

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9—Martha Moore Avery, for many years a prominent Socialist agitator, who is now endeavoring to create a strong sentiment against that party, will tour the state next week in support of her campaign.

Her route will include Haverhill, Lynn and other strongholds of socialism. While realizing the danger of turbulent scenes, Mrs. Avery announces a determination of waging a vigorous crusade.

"Socialism is controlled by several fanatics who make their headquarters in New York," said Mrs. Avery to a reporter yesterday. "Instead of standing for the workingmen's interest, it is an exponent of atheism and an enemy of moral and social laws. The rank and file of the party labor under a misunderstanding. They believe the organization will bring them better living conditions. This is not so. The only difference between anarchists and socialists is the superiority of the latter as politicians. They are not as stupid in their workings. Both aim at destruction. Only through the American Federation of Labor can the laboring people receive benefit.

"In their atheism the socialists recognize no spiritual power. They regard the country's institutions as owing their existence solely to industrial forces. They will not consider moral relationship until all oppressions have been abolished. Assuming the task of abolition, they declare the society will decide the moral question when its work has been completed.

"After 12 years of labor I am convinced that the socialist party menaces the welfare of the country. My change of faith commenced when George D. Herron, the present international secretary of the movement, married a woman upon being divorced from his wife. To my horror, socialists everywhere eulogized the ceremony."

FINGERS HURT

Accident in the B. & M. Freight Yard

Peter Kelley, employed on the Boston & Maine railroad, while at work in the freight yards this morning, had the third and fourth fingers of his right hand crushed between the couplings of a car and the engine.

He was taken to the Emergency hospital, where it was found that the third finger was badly lacerated while the fourth was pretty badly bruised. The fingers were dressed, and he later went to his home, 324 Fletcher street.

WM. T. SELLERS

PLEADED GUILTY TO ASSAULT CHARGE.

Henry Belanger of Lawrence was put on trial on a charge of causing the death of Purrello Moran, in the superior criminal court in Salem, yesterday afternoon. He pleaded guilty, and the case was taken from the jury and continued until the January term for sentence.

William T. Sellers of Andover, a lawrence newspaper man pleaded guilty to assaulting Samuel T. Mayer with a revolver and was placed on probation.

James W. Robbins a young man from Lynnfield pleaded guilty to burning a little pig pen in that town which belonged to Frederick Lingrin. He was probated.

Floyd T. Ferris a former employe of the American Express company, in Lynn, was sentenced to the house of correction for one year for stealing $213.01 from the company.

William E. Schrafft of Boston was fined $25 for driving his automobile in Beverly faster than the legal limit. A like fine was imposed on Rudolphe L. Agassiz for a similar offence.

IN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

JESUIT PRIESTS WILL HAVE CHARGE OF RELIGIOUS WORK.

The religious work in the higher Catholic educational institutions for women in Boston will be controlled exclusively by Jesuit priests during the present school year, three of those clergymen having been appointed as spiritual directors for the young women students.

Rev. Joseph H. Rockwell, SJ, vice president of Boston college, will have charge of the religious society known as the Children of Mary, connected with the academy of Notre Dame, on Berkeley street.

Rev. Thomas I. Gasson, SJ, professor of ethics at the college, will have charge of the pupils at the academy of the Sacred Heart, Massachusetts avenue, and will also direct the religious work of a society composed of alumnae of the school.

Rev. William M. McDonough, SJ, of the church of the Immaculate Conception, will have the direction of the pupils' sodalities at the academy of Notre Dame, Roxbury.

NAME FORGED

ON PAPER OF WORCESTER & SOUTHBRIDGE ROAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Oct. 9—David N. Carvalho, the New York handwriting expert, has declared the name of George W. Wells, as indorser of notes representing nearly $1,000,000 to be forged on paper of the Worcester & Southbridge street railway company, now in the hands of receivers.

The announcement is expected to have a decided effect upon the reorganization of plans of the company and its paper, it is thought, will be more readily accepted by banks and individuals.

The decision of Mr. Carvalho strengthens a belief that officials of the road have had for some time. Until yesterday, however, establishment of the indorsments on many of the notes as forgeries was not possible.

It is pointed out that holders of the company's paper cannot expect to rely on the payment of notes bearing the indorsements on many of the notes as Southbridge, when it is shown that in many instances these signatures have been declared forgeries. Those working in behalf of the organization feel confident that the plan soon to be submitted will be more acceptable when the Carvalho decision becomes generally understood.

FACULTY ACTS

WILL TAKE UP THE CHARGES AGAINST STUDENTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Oct. 9—Action by the faculty of Worcester Polytechnic Institute may follow the junior class banquet at South Framingham Wednesday evening, where two of the students were arrested.

In court yesterday Frederick C. Daniels of Natick, a junior, was charged with larceny, and his case was continued one week. Roy T. Parker of Meriden, Conn., a freshman paid a fine of $5 on a charge of disturbing the peace.

The upper and lower classmen attempted to break up the junior banquet and the scenes which followed were considered sensational by residents of South Framingham.

Yesterday the students contributed to a fund to repair the damage at the hotel in South Framingham.

John E. Malone, Fall River, a member of the senior class, is today being attended by a physician. In a clash with fellow students he dislocated his right collarbone. Malone is a member of the football team and a well-known athlete. Last night Pres. Edmund A. Engler of the institute, said:

"The faculty is not prepared to make any statement yet. As a body we have not considered the banquet yet."

SEARCH BEGUN

FOR JOHNSTON AND HERMAN WHO RAN AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANILA, Oct. 9.—At the request of Governor Taft, Admiral Stirling has dispatched two gunboats to the Isla de Cuba and the Pampanga to Albany and Samar to search the neighboring waters for the little steamer Victoria with Johnston and Herman, the defaulting constabulary officials on board. A coast guard vessel also has been sent out to overtake the fugitives if possible. No word of their whereabouts has yet been received from any source.

FAINTING SPELL

Man Just Discharged From Hospital

Peter Desilets, a man about 82 years of age, left the state hospital at Tewksbury this morning and came on a train to this city, but after getting off the train he was in such a weak condition that he fainted.

Word was sent to the ambulance station and when the ambulance arrived the man was unconscious.

He was removed to St. John's hospital, where he was revived and afterwards taken to the city farm.

VALLEY FLOODED

THE DAM ACROSS RAMAPO RIVER GAVE WAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—A dam across the Ramapo river at Pompton Lakes, N. J., burst today, on account of the excessive rain flooding the valley in which a large part of Pompton is located. The rush of water destroyed a number of houses in its path and it is feared that several persons may have perished.

MINES WILL CONSOLIDATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Oct. 9.—Announcement is made of the consolidation of the Isabella, the Orphan Bell and the Empire gold mining companies, three of the best known claims on the Cripple Creek district, into the Isabella Mines company, a Wyoming corporation. The stock of the constituent companies aggregates $4,250,000.

ROBBER KILLED

Police Opened Fire on Highwaymen

By Associated Press to The Sun

AURORA, Ill., Oct. 9—In a battle between three highwaymen and two policemen in Aurora last night, one of the men was killed and another injured.

The wounded man and his companion escaped.

Previous to the encounter with the policemen the highwaymen held up an electric car of the River View Park branch of the Aurora Electric line, and after robbing the motorman and conductor of their valuables, took possession of the car and ran to within a short distance of the city limits. They were found later on a car bound for Chicago.

RAISED WAGES

CEMETERY TRUSTEES VOTE INCREASE TO LABORERS.

The cemetery trustees met yesterday afternoon, with Robert W. Mountford, John L. Stevens, Supt. Wotton and His Honor, Mayor Howe present. It was voted to increase the pay of men employed in the cemetery from $1.57 a day to $1.75. This action was anticipated by the beneficiaries, who drew up a vote of thanks and placed it before the trustees.

It was voted to obtain plans and specifications for a barn and shed for the cemetery. Other improvements were discussed, and routine business was transacted.

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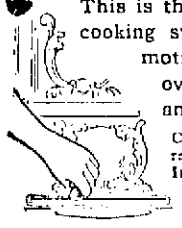

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CAVALRY SHOOT

Chelmsford Men Won Honors and Medals

The annual shoot of the Massachusetts cavalry was held yesterday at Walnut Hill range. As a result of the shoot, Private A. C. Mitchell, of Troop F, of North Chelmsford, and Corp. W. H. Quigley of the same company, won honors.

The shoot for the tri-color was won by Company A of Boston. Two distances were shot at, 200 and 500 yards. The result of the totals for both distances were as follows: Troop A, Boston, 767; Troop D, Boston, 755; Troop F, Chelmsford, 740.

The order of the troops at the 200 yard target was: Troop F, 395; Troop D, 383; and Troop A, 381. At the 500 yard targets, the order was practically reversed, as follows: Troop D, 374; Troop A, 374; Troop F, 345.

Private Marshall of Troop A, Boston, won the first individual prize, a silver cup, with a score of 86. Private A. C. Mitchell of North Chelmsford, Troop F, took the second prize, a silver cup, also, with a score of 85. The two men of the state cavalry entitled to the "Distinguished Marksmen" medals came from Troop F, Private A. C. Mitchell, 85, and Private F. C. McMaster, 82.

The shooting of Corp. W. H. Quigley was one of the most remarkable performances of the day. Corp. Quigley is a member of Troop F and in the 500 yard contest, shot for eight consecutive bulls eyes. He missed the first two targets, therefore his score was but 40.

Capt. John J. Monahan, although he shot for 85 was outranked in the competition for a distinguished marksman's medal.

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THE LIPTON CUP

WILL BE PLACED IN CUSTODY OF ATLANTIC YACHT CLUB.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—It has been decided that the Atlantic Yacht club shall be custodian of the $2500 cup which Sir Thomas Lipton has offered for an ocean race from Sandy Hook lightship to the Needles, in May next.

The cup will be a challenge trophy and Sir Thomas hopes that it will become an international prize of prominence. He has been assured by distinguished yachtsmen that it may be raced for by famous ocean-going boats.

The Atlantic Yacht club will give three additional cups, one of the value of $500 to go to the first yacht finishing; one of $300 to go to the second yacht, and still another of $200 to go to the third boat.

The restrictions of the race will be few. Each yacht will take their own time at the finish and all allowance will be barred. Sir Thomas believes that the German Emperor may send his Meteor over for the race and that the American yachts probably will take part in the Boyer-Heligoland contest and others at Kiel. It is believed also, that the king of England will be interested in the contest.

WOMEN FOUND

HELD AS WITNESSES IN THE PERLEMAN CASE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW LONDON, Conn., Oct. 9.—Nettie May, wife of Capt. John May, and her sister, Matilda Brown, or Clemendo, were found at New Haven yesterday and later brought here. They are held as witnesses in the matter of the death of Charles Perleman, who hailed from New Jersey, and who was employed on a river boat.

Capt. May and his assistant, Paul Brown, are also held by the police.

Perleman's body was found in East New London last Saturday night.

The police say that they have learned that Perleman and the two women were out sailing shortly before Perleman disappeared.

LOTS OF TROUT FRY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RUMFORD FALLS, Me., Oct. 9—A consignment of 82 cans of trout fry, each containing 150 fish, averaging two inches in length, from the United States hatchery at Green Lake, passed through here for the Rangley and Moosehemeguntic lakes. This was the last shipment of the year from Green Lake. The same car brought 18 cans of salmon fry for the towns of Turner and Hartford.

COTTON PLANT

Is Later Than Was Expected

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Telegraphic advices from correspondents of the Mercantile Agency throughout the United States are summarized as follows:

Merchants generally are not anticipating requirements with the freedom heretofore noted, partly on account of weather and crop conditions and in part because of industrial slowing down. Car congestion is caused by relatively heavier western movement.

Dry goods at wholesale are moving from New York more slowly. The bid silk auction shows a better demand. Retail merchants in New England report a falling off and jobbers with southern connections a like situation in Atlantic coast states. Country merchants in spring wheat regions are still behind earlier anticipations.

The cotton plant has deteriorated and is later than anticipated. Indian corn is reported as secure from frost. Cool weather checks raisin curing in California.

Financial advices at large centres indicate that neither imports or bank loans are being curtailed and that indebtedness abroad is increasing. James H. Eckles, former comptroller of the currency, sends word that increased western bank loans, compared with last year, are not due to the banks carrying speculative accounts.

Arrangements for a general reduction of pig iron production cause better feeling among western consumers, but all finished iron and steel is quite dull, except wire products. United States Steel's confession to having over a million tons fewer orders than a year ago, while on January 1st, they had a million tons more than a year before, is taken as evidence that the general industrial tide has turned and that a contest between producers and consumers in other lines may be expected. Pittsburg, however, reports a maximum volume of general trade. New England cotton mills are running on short time; some are storing products. There is no apparent check to labor disturbances.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON

LEFT NEW YORK FOR LONDON TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Sir Thomas Lipton sailed for England today, on the steamer Cedric. He said he was not feeling as well as he looked, but that he expected to gain strength on his way to England. He would not talk about the possibility of his challenging again for the cup.

The Cedric also carried J. Coleman Drayton, P. P. Whitaker, M. D., and W. H. Truesdale, president of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad.

NORTH BILLERICA.

An enthusiastic rally of the republicans of precinct two was held last night at the republican headquarters. There were about 100 voters present. The meeting was addressed by senatorial candidate Chester W. Clark of Wilmington; representative candidates William E. Westall of Lowell and Joshua D. Upton of North Reading. A musical and literary program was carried out during the evening which consisted of the following:

Song, Bert Ellis; reading, John Brown; song, Charles E. Fairbrother; reading, Joseph Brown; song, Charles Bailey; recitation, Henry Brown. Remarks were also made by president of the club, Richard T. Perry, Selectman Charles H. Kohlrausch, Nail T. Hutchins, Roger Barrington and Ivory Hanson.

INSTANTLY KILLED

RAILROAD MAN MET WITH HORRIBLE DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Gordon Beattie, employed by the Boston & Maine railroad, was instantly killed about 8.35 last night in the yard at the junction of the Eastern and Western divisions in Charlestown, while in the act of coupling the air hose of two freight cars, one of which was part of a train that was backing down to a stationary car. His head and body were crushed and his arms and left leg were broken.

Beattie was about 30 years old and married, and lived in Swampscott.

FIFTEEN YEARS

FOR MAN WHO ASSAULTED LITTLE GIRL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALFRED, Me., Oct. 9—William Nason, alias Pete Shackley of Springvale, who Wednesday pleaded guilty to felonious assault upon a 7-year-old girl, was sentenced in the supreme court yesterday to 15 years' imprisonment.

In pronouncing sentence Judge Peabody said: "I am as well aware that the public clamors for vengeance in this case as though I could hear the mob outside the courthouse door. The prisoner cannot live more than 10 years in state prison."

The judge expressed his sentiment as to the clamor for vengeance after County Atty. Emery, in arguing for the extreme penalty for the offence, which is commitment for life, had said:

"If such a crime were committed in the south the man would never reach a jail."

Nason was bound over to the grand jury from the Sanford municipal court. It was thought at one time that he would be lynched before the officers could get him to the county jail. He has served a sentence of five years a New Hampshire for attempted felonious assault.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

While Joseph Carpentier, a fruit peddler, was driving through Coolidge street, yesterday afternoon, he attempted to turn into Hall street, but turning too short, the wagon overturned and Joe and the contents of the wagon were dumped into the street. He was unconscious when picked up, his face and right side being badly bruised and scratched.

He was taken to a nearby store and revived and was afterwards taken to his home.

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GUIDING HAND

Was Missing in Simmons Family

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. JOHN, N. B., Oct. 9—The Jones-Simmons family of Cambridge, Mass., which is now figuring extensively in the Boston newspapers on account of the escapade of the girl known as May Simmons, was quite well known in this city at one time. Mrs. George Jones, mother of the young woman now in the Massachusetts General hospital at Boston, formerly conducted a small hotel here, but with her husband and daughters left for Boston nine or ten years ago. Occasionally reports of adventures in which the girls took part have reached their old home here. These escapades are attributed by persons who remember the family to absence of a guiding hand after the girls reached the age of ten years. For many years, it is said, they roamed about at large and did as they pleased.

The correct name of the young woman who has been found in Boston Lobor and Charles river, is Prudence Simmons. She was a daughter of Moses Simmons and the present Mrs. George Jones. She was born at Pictou, N. S., in 1883. Louise Simmons, who was known here as a sister of Prudence, was born at the same place in 1885. The family removed to St. John. Several years after the death of Simmons, the widow was married to George Jones.

About eight years ago Prudence and Louise were frequently seen on the streets in the North End of Boston. On one occasion they boarded a Gloucester fishing vessel and were carried to Gloucester. Several days later they were taken to Station 1, Boston, by a North End officer who found the children on the streets. Later they were placed in a home for neglected children, but escaped. The authorities had them in charge several times later and they were placed in private homes. On one occasion Prudence was with a family in Charlmont, Mass, but suddenly left. She and Louise next appeared in Lowell, from which city they were sent to the Lancaster school for girls by the court. They were placed on probation in 1901 and since then, it is said, have been visiting various New England cities under assumed names.

AUTOMOBILE RUN

SEVENTEEN CARS REGISTERED AT THE GARAGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BINGHAMPTON, N. Y., Oct. 9—Seventeen of the cars which are making the endurance run from New York to Pittsburg were all that had registered at the garage here up to the time of start today, the others probably having stopped for the night all along the route from Pine Hill. It is believed that several of these will push on today, registering at the Binghamton stop and going ahead toward Buffalo. Of the 17 arrivals one withdrew from the contest and 16 drove out on the road to Bath, 16 miles away. The cars generally seem to be in fair shape. The weather conditions were, if possible, worse than yesterday, but the roads are said to be somewhat better.

GENERAL YOUNG

IS THE GUEST OF CAPTAIN CHADWICK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, Oct. 9—Lieut. Gen. Samuel B. M. Young, U. S. A., commanding the army, is making an inspection of the naval war college today and is a guest of Captain French E. Chadwick, president of the college, during his stay in the city, which will be only for the day. Admiral H. C. Taylor, chief of the bureau of navigation, is also present, he being a former president of the college. Gen. Young is making a critical inspection of the college and its methods to post himself preparatory to the institution of an army war college. Committees were waived and his arrival upon the training station was not signalled by any musical connection.

WOMAN DIED SUDDENLY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9—Alcoholism and heart failure is assigned by Dr. Kopshowitz, for the death of Mrs. Margaret Canall, which occurred suddenly here today, but the doctor refused to issue a certificate of death. The police of Division 2 have notified Medical Examiner Harris, who will hold an autopsy.

Miss Rose McAfee, the Pleasant street dressmaker, has returned from the fall openings in New York.

CASTLE RESIGNS

Auditor of P. O. Department Quits

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9—Announcement of the resignation of H. H. Castle, auditor for the post office department, was made today.

The resignation was dated October 7 and was directed to the secretary of the treasury, who has indicated his acceptance. The resignation is to take effect when his successor is appointed and qualified.

Mr. Castle said today that he had tendered his resignation last spring, but when the investigation of the post office department affairs was begun, Secretary Shaw asked him to remain and he consented to do so.

Mr. Castle added that his reason for resigning is found in the necessity for giving his attention to his private business and that as soon as relieved from the duties of his official position he would return to his old home at St. Paul.

In reply to a question as to whether his resignation had been influenced by the investigation into the affairs of the postal department, Mr. Castles replied in the negative.

"I know of no charges," he said. "If there were any I would not, of course, be allowed to resign. The only criticism of myself of which I am aware was made by Mr. Tulloch and I made reply to his statement last May. I have of course seen the newspaper statements that I would be reflected upon by the reports to be made by Mr. Bristow and by Messrs. Bonaparte and Conrad. I know nothing as to the accuracy of this report and can only say that I shall be prepared to answer any criticism when made.

My only reason for resignation is that given. I wanted to get out of official life."

Mr. Castle said the report that he is a director of a mining company which is reported to have been engaged in selling stock to postmasters was not true, but added that if he had been a director in a mining company there would have been no ground for criticism in that circumstance.

Special Saturday sale of millinery at Mme. P. L. Gregoire's. See adv.

DEPUTY CHIEF SHAW

IS INVESTIGATING FIRES IN MYRTLE STREET HOUSE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9—Deputy Chief Shaw, the head of the fire marshal's department of the state police, continued his investigation today into the three fires discovered in the house at 69 Myrtle street, this city, a few days ago, and had before him May Simmons, who was a lodger at the house. May Simmons is the girl who was found apparently helpless in a boat in the Charles river at 2 o'clock last Tuesday morning.

Chief Shaw questioned the girl closely but she did not change the story she told to the police at the time she was rescued from the water. After the interview the girl was turned over to Miss Elizabeth Putnam, one of the Lancaster industrial school trustees, who will hold her for further investigation as to her sanity. It is said that the girl is on probation from the Lancaster school.

A THROUGH LINE

IS WANTED FROM BOSTON TO LOWELL.

Winchester authorities have entered into correspondence with the railroad commissioners in relation to a petition which asks that the Boston & Northern operate through cars to Sullivan square, so there will be no change on the North Woburn division at Medford square. The commission has informed the selectmen that the Boston & Northern is at work on the matter, with the hope that the necessary arrangements may soon be made.

From another source it is learned that the company very much desires to run into Sullivan square, for the reason that a rival line in Lowell has the advantage of such a privilege and advertises it with telling effect. For more than a year negotiations have been in progress, it is said, and the delay is securing rights on the elevated from Medford to Sullivan square is as annoying to the Boston & Northern as it is to patrons.

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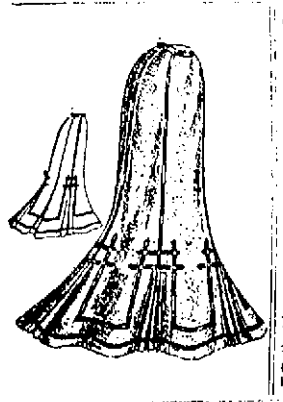

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NEW YORK FLOODED

Downpour of Rain for 24 Hours

Some Streets Covered Two Feet Deep—Railroad Yards 12 Feet—Temporary Bridges Thrown Across Streets and Boats Used to Reach Stations

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—After 24 hours of pouring rain, New York city and adjacent country suffered early today from severe floods.

Six and 24-100 inches of rain had fallen in the 24 hours ending 9 a. m. today and it was still raining hard. This was believed to be near a record rain fall.

Many trolley lines and railroads were either crippled or delayed and in New York city a conduit containing 70 telegraph wires was so flooded as to disable all the wires.

A heavy flood in the Bronx damaged the packing houses of Schwarzchild & Sulzberger, Swift & Company and Nelson Morris & Company, and a portion of the freight yard of the New York Central railroad was covered by 12 feet of water. A watchman who had sought refuge on the top of a car was rescued.

From all parts of the city were received reports of flooded cellars, flooded sewers and impassable gutters. Many cellars along the North river front were flooded and in some instances there was a loss on goods stored there. It is impossible to estimate the amount of the damage until the cellars have been pumped out.

West street, in front of the downtown ferries to Jersey City and Hoboken, was flooded and passengers were carried across it in drays and grocers' wagons, temporarily pressed into service.

Trolley traffic at St. George, Staten Island, was completely tied up by a rush of water over the tracks between Stapleton and St. George.

The water was two feet deep in South street at the New York side of the Fulton street Brooklyn ferry. Passengers arriving on the ferry boats waded through the water up to their knees, until the dealers in Fulton street used large boxes to build a bridge across the street. The bridge blocked the street for truck traffic, but a section of the bridge had to be removed every few minutes to admit the post office horse cars.

Nassau street, between Wall and Pine streets, was closed on account of a washout in the middle of the street. Pedestrians waded through a foot of water. The sidewalk at the corner of the sub-treasury building was undermined.

The water was two feet deep in West street, in front of the ferry house of the Hackay street ferry to Hoboken. For nearly one hour working girls and women waited in the ferry house marooned by the flood, until a truckman backed his truck up to the ferry house and announced that he would take as many persons as could stand on the floor of the truck, across the flood for seven cents apiece. The truck was quickly loaded.

It had hardly started on its way when several other truckmen did likewise. Every ferryboat was met by half a dozen truckmen and the passengers, instead of hearing the usual cry of "Keb, Keb, Keerige, Keerige," were greeted with "take yer across the street for a nickel."

Many thousands of men and women were unable to reach their places of business today owing to washouts and landslides on the railroads and trolley lines in New Jersey, Long Island and Westchester county. The Newark branch of the Erie railroad was reported to be entirely tied up. Hundreds of tons of dirt and stone had been washed into the cuts and stalled the trains. The hundreds of people in the stalled trains were forced to remain where they were for many hours, owing to the fact that the streams had overflowed their banks and flooded the roads, making them almost impassable for vehicles. A heavy wind accompanied the storm early today and the telegraph wires of the Erie railroad were blown down where the poles had been partially undermined by the washouts. Fences were blown down, barns and outhouses on the farms undermined and cattle strayed from one farm to another seeking shelter.

Local forecast officer Emery said that he believed this was a record rainfall. The highest previous fall was December 23, 1882, when 6 17-100 inches fell in 24 hours. St. Mark's district in Brooklyn suffered severely. The water was two feet deep in Thompson avenue and access to elevated station extremely difficult. Several surface lines were tied up, and in Nostrand and Putnam avenues the cellars of residences were flooded by water which poured over the sidewalk into the cellar windows.

The Long Hill, L. I., life saving station reports a large anchored half a mile off shore at 10:45. Pilots near Montauk Point unable to proceed in the storm.

The stone room in the basement of Bellevue hospital was flooded and stores to the value of $500 ruined.

The downpour in the early morning was so great that the rain went down the chimneys of many East side tenements, rolling out over and flowing into rooms. In several blocks the tenants of the tenement houses placed canvas covers over the chimneys.

At 23d street and Broadway the water flowed into the excavation for the Times building, making a lake 15 feet deep and doing considerable damage. The subway excavation from 42d street to 14th street was flooded and in many places the contractors sustained heavy damage by washouts. The street from Broadway to Beaver street, one of the busiest parts of the financial district, was almost undermined through the washing away of a newly constructed sewer. Parts of the sidewalk and street sank perceptibly and because of a series of breaks in the steam pipes of the New York Steam Heating company the broken street surface heaved out steam like an active volcano. A 6-inch water main in Pearl street burst, tore up the pavement and flooded a 25-foot excavation for the Beaver building.

The storm was the heaviest fall of rain on record in this city. It caused damage to the extent of thousands of dollars, crippled and delayed many of the trolley and steam railroads by which people from nearby cities and towns reach New York and caused them serious delay or inconvenience in reaching their offices in town. In outlying districts many trolley and steam road lines were under two feet of water and there were many washouts. Streets along the water front down town were so badly flooded that passengers were conveyed across them in drays. A large portion of the subway in this city was badly flooded.

In Paterson, N. J., the river district was inundated and fears were entertained that the disastrous flood of two years ago would be repeated. A dam on the Ramapo river at Pompton, N. Y., broke and flooded a valley ten miles long but no loss of life was reported.

Reports from various points in New York state indicated that a great damage had been caused and small rivers were flood height and rising. A washout at Hastings tied up north bound traffic on the New York Central road for a time and the main lines of the Erie and Susquehanna roads were blocked by washouts. Rain continued to fall steadily today.

DRIVING RAIN

GREETED PLAYERS IN THE GOLF TOURNAMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—A driving rain storm today greatly handicapped the players in the invitation golf tournament on the links of the Merion Cricket club at Haverford.

The greens, both fair and putting, were dead and before the players started they realized that they would be unable to get any roll to their shots and once the greens were reached, they would be forced to pitch the balls to get anywhere near the holes.

The play yesterday brought the contestants down to the semi-final stage and two most interesting contests were scheduled for today. Mrs. C. T. Stout of Essex county, was scheduled to meet Mrs. Donald H. Barlow of Merion and Miss G. Bishop of Brookline was down to meet Miss Rhona Adair.

DESTRUCTIVE FLOOD

IS NOW FEARED IN PATERSON, N. J.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PATERSON, N. J., Oct. 9.—Unless the rain soon ceases, there is danger of another destructive flood in this city. The river district, which suffered so severely on a previous occasion, is again partly flooded and the river is still rising rapidly. Before noon the water was about a foot and a half from the Arch street bridge approaches and it is feared that if it continues to rise, it will be forced back by the bridge work as if by a dam and will flood the business section of the city.

In the factories along the river front, the operatives were dismissed and are being taken from the buildings in boats. The bank of the canal in South Paterson gave way and all the territory in the vicinity was flooded.

EMPIRE COLONY, P. O. P. F.

Empire Colony, No. 170, P. O. P. F., at their lodge room in Elks' hall, last evening, had a large gathering of members to witness the annual instalment of officers. Too much praise cannot be given to the staff from Mayflower Colony of Lawrence. The staff was composed of lady Pilgrims and with their black natty suits, white bows on the hair and each adorned with white pinks and white gloves, they all presented a pretty picture as they marched into the hall and went through their intricate manouvers before installation.

The names of the staff are as follows: Lady Josie Ayer, deputy supreme governor; Bessie Colgan, lieut. governor; Maggie McCarthy, secretary; Annie Beattie, treasurer; Hattie Palmer, chaplain; Lady Martin, sergeant-at-arms; Hattie Sharrock, deputy sergeant-at-arms; Ethel Massey, collector; Elize Kehoe, sentinel inner gate; Eva Hepping, sentinel outer gate; Ellen Sewell, ex governor; Nellie Morse, assistant deputy; Ella Gregg, pianist; pilgrim, John Palmer, training master.

A cheering round of applause was given after the installation, after which remarks were made by ex-governor Painter of Columbia colony, Lawrence; Governor Morse of Mary Chilton colony, Lawrence, and Pilgrim Spike of Boston.

A collation was served, after which the lady pilgrims left on the last car for Lawrence.

LIVELY RUNAWAY

Caused Excitement Near City Hall

GUTHRIE'S GREAT BASKET-BALL TACKLE

Stopped the Animal's Mad Career

A lively runaway occurred in Merrimack street near City hall this morning when an animal attached to the wood team of Mullos & Co., 497 Market street, started down Merrimack street from the corner of Hanover on the dead run.

As the runaway passed Lang's City Hall pharmacy the wagon struck an automobile owned by a Mr. Fisher which was standing there and put one of the wheels on the auto out of commission. At the corner of Worthen street a gang of street employes under Harry Guthrie, the old Burke basketball player, are repairing the sidewalk and a pile of bricks stood in the street, having just been taken from a double team of the street department.

The runaway attempted to go between the double team and the sidewalk, over the brick pile, and in an instant there was a mixup. Harry Guthrie took a basketball tackle on the horse's head, while the wood wagon bumped the city team and got the worst of it. The horse barked its shins on the brick pile and the shaft of the wood team curled around a trolley pole and broke off. The owner of the wood team swore in Greek at the horse and the owner of the auto did likewise in English.

Rather difficult to know just how to dress these days? One day warm, the next cold, summer underwear too light, winter underwear too heavy—just the weather for the medium weight garments that have wool enough for protection, not too much for comfort.

The Merrimack Clothing Co. shows a line of medium weight underwear in white and natural merinos that suits the weather perfectly. Sizes are up to 50, and include short leg drawers—the 50c price is the most interesting feature—you wonder how they can do it.

DEATHS

TETREAULT—Marie Anne Merilda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Narcisse Tetreault of 82 Austin street, died Wednesday at her parents' residence at the age of 13 years 1 month and 11 days. Deceased was a pupil of the sisters' school, and a member of the Sodalities of the Children of Mary, of the Propagation of the Faith and of the Sacred Heart.

BARRETT—John P. Barrett, aged 1 month and 9 days, infant son of John and Bridget, died last night at the home of his parents, 218 Adams street.

WILBUR—Elizabeth Wilbur, aged 44 years, wife of John Wilbur, died last night at her home, 934 Gorham street. She is survived by one son, James, and a niece, Mrs. Frank Lane.

HARRISON—Mary Harrison, aged 53 years, died last night at her home, 462 Central street. She leaves to mourn her loss besides her husband, William, two brothers, Steve and Thomas Riley of Waltham, one sister, Mrs. Richard Henry of Fall River, and one daughter, Mary Gleason.

HENNESSEY. — Irene Hennessey aged two months, child of John and Margaret, died this morning at the home of her parents, 12 Fulton place, off Willie street.

DEARBORN—Hannah L. Dearborn, aged 55 years, died this morning at her late home, 37 Paige street. The deceased is survived by a sister, Mrs. Mary J. Patch of Saco, Me.

See Mme. P. L. Gregoire's advertisement.

FUNERALS

OWENS—The remains of the late Bernard Owens were consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased including a number of people from out of town. The funeral took place at 8.30 o'clock from the home of his sister, Mrs. Martin Hansberry, 17 Stromquist avenue, and proceeded to the Sacred Heart church in Moore street, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I. The choir under the direction of Mrs. Thomas H. Muldoon, sang the Gregorian mass and during the service several appropriate selections were rendered by members of the choir. The bearers were Messrs. Hugh E. Duggan, James Burns, William Butler and Hugh Owens. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director John F. Rogers. The deceased was 57 years of age and was for many years a devout and constant attendant at St. Michael's church. He was also a prominent member of the A. O. H. He leaves to mourn his loss three sisters, Mrs. Morris Owens, Mary Owens and Mrs. Martin Hansberry; also two brothers, Patrick and Andrew.

BARRETT—The funeral of John P. Barrett, child of John and Bridget, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his parents, 218 Adams street. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery and was under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

MATRIMONIAL

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Jean Baptist parochial house when William F. Carroll of Branch street and Miss Mary Champagne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Champagne of 44 West Third street were married.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Mangin, O. M. I., the best man being Robert Thomas, and the bridesmaid Miss Josephine McGuane. After the ceremony the happy couple returned to the bride's home where they received the congratulations of many friends. They were made the recipients of a great variety of useful and costly presents.

After a wedding repast an impromptu musical program was rendered, many of the young ladies and gentlemen furnishing vocal and instrumental music.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll started on a late train for their honeymoon, to be spent in New York and Philadelphia.

LIKE EXPLOSION

Plate Glass Smashed on Merrimack Street

WITH CRASH LIKE AN EX-EXPLOSION

A Draught of Air Caused Accident

A draught of air from within the Ginter Grocery store on Merrimack street caused the big door of the store to close suddenly with a crash this morning that startled everyone within hearing distance.

The big plate glass window in the door fell out upon the sidewalk and was broken into a thousand pieces. The noise badly frightened many people, who were nearby, and some thought that another explosion had overtaken the city.

SIR CHARLES WILSON

OBJECTS TO QUOTATION USED BY CHAMBERLAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 9—Addressing the semi-annual meeting today of the shareholders of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada, the president, Sir Chas. Rivers Wilson, took exception to Joseph Chamberlain's quotation on "American Authority," during his speech at Greenock, Wednesday, to the effect that American trade was falling off. Sir Charles said he saw no appreciable slackening of the flow of business. The impression which he brought home after his recent visit to Canada and the United States was that the industries of both countries were progressing and that under ordinary conditions there seemed to be no reason why their continued development should not be maintained "in spite of the ill-direction of the combinations which had introduced such disturbing influence in the natural course of business."

Sir Charles explained that although the revenue of the Grand Trunk railway had largely increased, a corresponding increase in the expenditure precluded a profuse distribution of dividends. The time, however, would arrive when the Grand Trunk would derive lasting advantages from the present policy of liberal expenditure.

LOSS IS HEAVY

STONE OPERA HOUSE DESTROYED BY FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Oct. 9—The fire in Stone Opera house was practically under control this morning without having injured the front of the building, in which are contained Stone hall, several business offices, the lobby and theatre offices. The opera house cost $125,000 and a large amount of scenery and costly fittings were added later.

INSPECT PROPERTY

STEEL TRUST OFFICIALS WILL MAKE TOUR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—Leading officials of the United States Steel corporation will leave town this Sunday for a two weeks' tour of inspection of the corporation's property. The party will include President Corey, Vice Presidents Guyley and Dickson, Chairman Gary and Messrs. Frick, Rogers, Ream, Bacon, Perkins and Widener of the finance company.

According to a leading official the trip has several important objects in view. Primarily it is proposed to reduce operating expenses wherever this can be done without effecting the efficiency of the subsidiary plants.

More important, however, is the plan to co-operate with large independent manufacturers of steel and iron for a reduced freight rate from the railroad companies. The finished products of the corporation aggregated over 8,500,000 tons last year and any material reduction of freight rates on such enormous tonnage will result in great saving.

AT DEWEY GROVE

MARTIN FLAHERTY CELEBRATES A HAPPY OCCASION.

Martin Flaherty, police officer and mail carrier for lower Dracut and the "Black North" entertained his friends at his pavilion at Dewey Grove, last evening, in honor of the christening of his baby son, Martin Robert. About 50 friends were present and a delightful evening was enjoyed. There was dancing to the music of Hadley's orchestra and singing by Miss Letour, Paul Scanlon, Fred Mallinson and Thomas "Dad" Flaherty, the hale and hearty grandfather, and Shakespearian recitations by William J. Carney. Louis Weller officiated at the piano. Refreshments were served and the last car only brought the festivities to a close. Among the friends from out of town were J. B. "Mallitt" Flaherty of Boston and J. H. Blake of Milford, N. H.

HEAVIEST RAIN FALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 9.—The heaviest rain fall of the year is causing enormous damage in the north of England. The roads are impassable, railroads are interrupted, bridges are down and the valleys of the Dee and of the Tweed are like inland seas. All kinds of animals and wreckage are floating seaward. Much outside work has been suspended.

APPOINTED POSTMASTER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Robert Russell was today appointed postmaster at Center Sandwich, N. H.

SPOT COTTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet. Middling uplands 9.60; middling gulf 9.85; sales 176 bales.

APOLLO QUARTETTE

HEADQUARTERS

M. Steinert & Sons Co.

MUSIC STORE

130 Merrimack Street

GRADE CROSSINGS

B. & M. Engineer Will Submit Plans

FOR REMOVAL OF LOCAL GRADE CROSSINGS

At Conference to be Held Monday

The special committee of the city council in grade crossings appears to be making most commendable progress with its work and it is believed that something in the desired line will be accomplished this time.

The engineer of the Boston & Maine railroad will come here on Monday and confer with the committee and the city engineer in regard to plans which he has for the removal of some of the local grade crossings. If an agreement can be reached the committee will push the matter along without delay.

MAGOUN WILL

WAS ALLOWED IN THE PROBATE COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 9—The will of Margaret Magoun of Medford was allowed in the Middlesex county probate court today.

This is the case in which Thatcher Magoun, a wealthy Cambridge man, left all his money to Margaret, an adopted daughter, to the exclusion of his own children.

The latter have engaged counsel to represent their interests and it is possible that they may appeal from the decision of the court.

MARKET WEAK

NEW RECORDS MADE IN STEEL STOCKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The stock market showed considerable weakness soon after the opening today. New low records were made in U. S. Steel common and Amalgamated Copper. The former, which closed yesterday at 35, opened ⅝ down at 34⅝, declined to 34¼, then rallied a little. The previous low record for this stock was 34⅞ which was made yesterday and also several weeks ago. The sales were not heavy. Steel pfd. opened 1⅛ down at 61½ and reacted ⅛ further, rallying later above 62, after which it ran off again. Amalgamated Copper, which again was the most active issue for a time opened with large sales all the way from 35½ to 35¼ and after temporary steadiness, declined to 34⅝ by the end of the first hour. The previous low level before today was 35⅝ yesterday. Several other industrial shares were weak.

LADIES' AUXILIARY A. O. H.

We are apprised that Misses Annie and Mary Lynch have each been president of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., immediately preceding the present incumbent, Miss Norah Reardon. An item in The Sun gave the impression that Miss Conway was the immediate predecessor of Miss Reardon.

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

10.16 a. m.—Prices fell weakly all around in the stock market on opening sales, although they were not in very large volume, except in a few cases. There were 3,500 shares of Amalgamated Copper sold at 35¼ and 35¼, both new low records compared with 35⅝ last night. United States Steel also sold at a new low record at 34¼, a decline of ¾ from last night's close and the preferred lost 1¼. There were losses of about a point in Louisville & Nashville, Reading, Manhattan, Smelting and Tennessee Coal.

11 a.m.—Most of the leading stocks touched their lowest prices of the first hour in the opening dealings. Full recoveries were made by some of the specialties and Atchison, Baltimore & Ohio, New York Central, Pennsylvania and Rock Island gained a small fraction, General Electric declined 2 points and Westinghouse Electric 3.

Noon—The market continued heavy and sank to a somewhat lower level. Reading, Union Pacific, Wabash pfd., St. Louis Southwestern pfd., Southern Railway pfd., Brooklyn Transit and a number of others fell 1 to 1½ below last night. Reading second pfd. dropped 4 and American Agricultural Chemical 3¾. There was a slight improvement before noon.

Bonds were heavy.

1 p. m.—A halt in the liquidation of the low priced specialties was followed by a rather general recovery of the ground lost in the morning selling. A few railroad stocks rallied substantially, notably Union Pacific, Pennsylvania and New York Central. A renewed attack on Amalgamated which forced it down to 34½ started prices elsewhere down again, but the standard stocks were not much affected. Tennessee Coal extended its decline to 2 points and there was some pressure against Brooklyn Transit and U. S. Steel.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—Noon- Money on call nominally offered at 2 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 6 a 6 1-2 per cent.

Exchanges $178,732,760.

Balances $10,125,075.

PRINCETON SQUAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 9—Twenty-four members of the Princeton football squad left here today for Providence, where the team will play Brown Saturday. Those who went are: Dewitt, Davis, Cooney, Barney, Short, Reed, Crawford, Burke, McClave, Poulke, Hart, King, Brasher, Carothers, Martin, Waller, Daub, Whelan, Miller, Ward, Vetterlein, Keith, Munn and Moore.

SEVERE STORMS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The local U. S. weather bureau received the following message from Washington today:

"Severe storms off Virginia coast will move east of north. Considered dangerous for vessels to leave ports.

"(Signed) GARRIOTT."

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Boston, Oct. 9.—Exchanges, $22,258,026. Balances, $1,454,243.

NIGHT EDITION

6 O'CLOCK

MICHAEL DAVITT

Reports Upon Condition of Jews in Russia

Has Just Returned From His Tour of Investigation—Further Danger Ahead From Economic Conditions

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—Fresh from a visit to the great centers of Jewish population in Russia, Michael Davitt, has written his estimate on the conditions and future of those people in a volume entitled "Within the Pale," which will be issued tomorrow from the presses of A. S. Barnes & Co.

"The Jew, as he is ruled and oppressed by Russian officials, is a far greater danger to Russian autocracy than anti-Semitism is to the Israelites out of the pale" declares Mr. Davitt in the preface of his work. "The danger," he declares, "was candidly avowed by all representative Russians from whom I solicited light information."

Mr. Davitt sees further catastrophe ahead because of the unnatural economic and social conditions. "The facts of the economic and social condition within the pale of settlement," he writes, "are so objective, that the warning they give of a coming catastrophe cannot be ignored. It would be like living an epidemic of smallpox to cure itself by neglect. This condition of things is fully explained and expressed by the term unnatural. It is analogous to a situation which would result from a federal law compelling every European born artisan and laborer within the whole United States to reside inside of Pennsylvania and to be forbidden to seek employment outside the cities and towns of that state. The murderous competition for employment, the deadly rivalry for existence, the bad blood between opposing races, the poverty and social wretchedness which such a condition of things would create—apart from the operation of coercive laws—can readily be imagined by the American reader. But this is an overdrawn picture of the economic anarchy prevailing within the Russian pale of Jewish settlement.

"The towns are crowded with artisans and traders and as these are out of all proportion to the producers and consumers of an agricultural country they necessarily become more destitute and wretched as their numbers increase. They are too poor to emigrate. They are prohibited from migrating. They cannot seek work on land. They are not permitted to engage in several occupations."

Mr. Davitt asserts that the czar can accomplish much for the Jews in his domain by destroying the legend of the blood atonement. "M. Delhelhwe and the czar," he avers, "can accomplish one good and blessed work if so minded without altering a single anti-Semitic Russian law. The emperor can destroy in Russia the atrocious legend about the annual killing of Christian children by Jews as an alleged part of the blood atonement in Hebrew paschal rites. In this humane and Christian task he is entitled to the co-operation of the emperor of Austria, the king of Roumania and the heads of the other Balkan states, where this story of ritual murder is constantly circulated and not infrequently as a part of political propaganda. There ought to be a truly Christian crusade waged against this infamous product of ancient, insensate, sectarian hate."

Mr. Davitt calls attention to the wonderful growth of Russia in the following striking sentences:

"What Russia is accused of coveting in Manchuria or devising in Persia and not what she is strenuously and rapidly achieving in the sphere of her vast domestic activities, exercised the critical attention of west European and American journalism. And yet the wide and sure and extraordinary progress that is being made in the economic development of a great empire, as self-contained in its measureless natural resources as the United States and with an assured domestic market for most of her manufactured products in a population of fully 100,000,000 growing at a rate upwards of 2,000,000 annually out of a natural increase, ought to be a subject of infinitely greater concern to the public thought of commercial rivals like Great Britain and the United States—as it usually is to the keener sense of German competition—that what Russian policy may or may not mean in its diplomatic trend in the far east."

Returning to the subject of the Jew and discussing the amelioration of his condition, Mr. Davitt says:

"I have come from a journey through the Jewish pale a convinced believer in the remedy of Zionism. I fail to see any other that can offer an equal hope of success. It is a necessity of the actual situation and faces the growing perils of the Russian Jew with a courageous plan of repatriation. Hope for partial or ultimate emancipation in Russia there is none. Other countries cannot be expected to relieve Russia of the unhappy victims of oppression and poverty. Where then are they to go?"

ELI B. CARLTON.

OLD MUSICIAN

Who Deserves to be on the Pension List

SAW FIRST BLOOD SHED IN CIVIL WAR

Passed Through Baltimore With Sixth Regiment

Eli B. Carleton, Lowell's oldest musician, who marched through the streets of Baltimore in '61 with the Lowell brigade band, is trying hard to secure a pension from the United States government, but owing to carelessness on the part of those to whom his claim was entrusted he is meeting with many obstructions, and though he feels confident of success in the near future he has met with many reverses at the hands of the pension department.

Mr. Carleton began his musical career in 1850 when he played double bass with Gardner & Truss band. He was one of the mainstays of that organization, but in 1857 went with Smith & Lovejoy's band, after which he played with Eliot's band, and later on the band was changed to that of Brooks & Eliot. Mr. Carleton then got his name into the band, and it was known as Brooks, Davis and Carleton band, and eventually the name was changed to Brooks, Owen and Carleton's band. This band was the best known organization in New England and it had played at almost every city and town of any prominence in the New England states.

The subject of this sketch was also a member of the Lowell Cornet band and later on joined the Lowell Brigade band, and when the call for troops was made in 1861 Mr. Carleton as a member of the band accompanied the boys of the Sixth regiment to the front. He was with the regiment when it got stoned while passing through the streets of Baltimore and as a result of the riot the instruments of the band were badly damaged. From Baltimore the band went to Philadelphia where Gen. Butler sent the band back to Boston to report to Gov. Andrew and have their instruments repaired. It was while the band was in Boston that the Sixth regiment was mustered into the United States service and owing to the band neglecting to be mustered in there is no record of their being with the regiment while passing through Baltimore. It is owing to this fact that the pension department refuses to entertain the request for pension made by Mr. Carleton.

In 1853 Mr. Carleton entered Shepard's music store, which was at that time located at 78 Merrimack street, and later worked at Rugg & Griffiths' music store, where he spent 35 years. He then entered as a partner in a music store and the firm name was Austin & Carleton and their place of business was on Shattuck street. Eventually the firm was changed to C. E. Austin, but Mr. Carleton still continued to be employed, and his last place of employment was M. Steinert & Sons, where he is employed at the present time.

Mr. Carleton was the manager of all the bands with which he was connected, and furnished music at Centre Harbor and Wolfboro, and for four seasons at the Fabyan house in the White Mountains.

The Lowell Musicians association, local 83, as a mark of the esteem in which they hold Mr. Carleton, have arranged to hold a testimonial concert for his benefit at Huntington hall, on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 18. A fine program has been arranged and a number of out-of-town artists will be present, including a noted Boston singer.

TROLLEY ACCIDENT

MR. AND MISS COBB HAVE SETTLED WITH THE STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

Mr. Frank W. Cobb and Miss A. E. Cobb, of First street, who were injured in the trolley accident at Pelham have settled with the street railway company. In conversation with a Sun reporter today Miss Cobb said that a settlement had been arrived at but she declined to state the amount. The Sun reporter heard from other sources, however, that it was between two and three thousand dollars. The settlement was made direct with the company.

Mr. Cobb is still suffering from the effects of his injuries. His back troubles him a great deal and Miss Cobb suffers from injury to her teeth.

HELD IN $1200

MAN ACCUSED OF STEALING FROM STREET RAILWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TAUNTON, Mass., Oct. 9.—When Charles W. Ivers, who was arrested at Boston yesterday, on charge of stealing $780 from the Old Colony Street Railway here, was arraigned in the district court today, Lawyer F. S. Hall representing the company, stated that the defendant had made a confession that he had taken the money as alleged. Mr. Hall added that all the money with the exception of $24 had been returned. Judge Fox found probable cause in the case and defendant was held for the grand jury in $1200.

Ivers was a clerk at the office of the railway company here and on September 20 the money was removed from one of the safes in the offices.

DON'T YOU FORGET

That J. S. Banford Co. will open their new store Monday, Oct. 12. A new line of black dress goods will be added. A souvenir worth 50c to $1.00 will be given to all purchasers of $3.00 and over. Come in Monday.

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CARROLL D. WRIGHT

NAMED AS UMPIRE BY JUDGE GRAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 9.—Judge Gray of the anthracite strike commission, has appointed Carroll D. Wright umpire in connection with the question of the short working day on Saturday in the Schuylkill region.

GRANT JEWELRY CO.'S BUSY ESTABLISHMENT.

As people go along the streets of our city looking into the windows they little dream of the vast amount of business that is carried on in some of these stores. The Grant Jewelry Co., at 64 Merrimack street has always been noted for its magnificent and attractive window display. The manager, Mr. Fred Gray, has certainly an eye for the beautiful as can be seen by the goods he selects for his large and ever increasing trade. When you want to get an article that is out of the ordinary you can certainly find it at this store. Not only are the windows a great attraction but the store is teeming with the grandest stock of gold and silverware, cut glass, table cutlery, watches, clocks, umbrellas and every article that could be found in the largest jewelry establishment in the country. As people look at the grand display they would be surprised if told that this is only a portion of their extensive business, as their basement is used as a manufacturing and repairing department. Although it is not open to view from the street, it is a busy bee hive of industry, as there are four watch makers and repairers and two clock repairers and several silversmiths. You cannot only obtain the finest watch and clock repairing at this establishment, but you can also match any piece of jewelry or bric-a-brac either in gold or silver. This store is perhaps the best equipped in the city for this kind of work, and having an established reputation in the line of repairing, they keep their force busy all the time. As for their sale of goods, they do the largest business in the city and their prices are always the lowest. They are practical jobbers as well as wholesale dealers, so that the middle man's profit with the Grant Jewelry Co., is entirely cut out, and is generously given to their customers. Their store is the headquarters for wedding and holiday presents, and as it will be but a few weeks before the holiday season is on, it will be well for people to select what they want from the endless variety now on hand. The prices are so low that people will find it a profitable investment to purchase at this store. Everybody is invited to call and examine the goods as it is a pleasure for the clerks to show them.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9. Cotton: Futures opened weak. Oct. 9.06; Nov. 9.16; Dec. 9.18; Jan. 9.18; Feb. - - ; March 9.21; April —; May 9.26; June 9.27; July 9.30.

GAME POSTPONED

Weather Too Cold in Pittsburg

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 9—Pittsburg-Boston world's championship baseball game postponed until tomorrow on account of cold weather.

ADJUTANT GENERAL

SAYS HE WILL DEMAND A COURT MARTIAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CRIPPLE CREEK, Col., Oct. 9—Adjutant General Sherman M. Bell states that if a court martial is not ordered by the governor he will demand one for himself, in order to clear up the charges of irregularities in the quartermaster's and commissary departments of which he is the head, and that he would insist on a complete inspection of reports to the effect that there had been "grafting" among some of his officers.

$15,000 SHORTAGE

CHARGE MADE AGAINST C. F. ARONDEZ.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 9—It has been learned that J. F. Arondez, formerly consular representative of the Netherlands at Batavia, Java, who was arrested by special secret agents when he arrived here aboard the steamer Nippon Maru, was charged with a shortage of $15,000 instead of $150,000. The diplomatic and criminal machinery of the two nations was put into use for the purpose of bringing about his arrest. Money to the amount of $14,500 was found in his possession and probably will be turned over to Baron Gevers, minister of the Netherlands at Washington, and in view of the recovery of most of the money it is intimated that Arondez will be released.

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KNELT IN PRAYER

MAN WAS ARRESTED FOR VAGRANCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 9—Robbed in Boston of $69, all his possession, and arrested for vagrancy in Chicago, Manuel Josef Brum, of the Madeira Islands, has abandoned hope.

Last night he learned through telegrams that his uncle, whom he set out to find three months ago, is a millionaire in San Jose, Cal.

Brum, whose mother owines a grocery in a small village in the Madeira Islands, started to find and visit his uncle, Anton Pashit, whom he only knew was somewhere in the United States.

In Boston he was robbed, and fellow-countrymen bought him a second-class ticket to Chicago and told him it would carry him to California. Arriving in Chicago, unable to speak a word of English or tell his destination, Brum was arrested for vagrancy.

When found by the police he was kneeling in prayer at the entrance of St. Peter's Roman Catholic church, Polk and Clark streets. He was allowed to sleep in a police station for two months and finally the police succeeded in locating the man's relatives.

Brum was put on the right train and left Chicago with a pass to his destination and several hundred dollars his uncle had sent him.

GRAIN INTERESTS

LOOKING UP PLAN TO AID THEM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—Grain may be withdrawn soon from the list of articles upon which the London-Liverpool steamship lines operated from the various Atlantic ports maintain minimum rates.

At a meeting of representatives of the various lines it has been decided to recommend such withdrawal and the matter has not been referred back, so far as the foreign lines are concerned, to the owners on the other side who signed the agreement.

The Mercantile Marine company withdrew the Antwerp agreement last week and is said to favor withdrawal so far as London and Liverpool.

The matter is being pushed by grain interests throughout the country in the hope to be able to compete on more favorable terms with reduced railroad and steamship rates against the Canadian exporters. Much American grain is now going by way of the Canadian lines, owing to the lower tariffs.

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(Signed) G. A. ROBERTSON,
Mayor of Augusta, Me.

Mr. E. P. Wood, buyer of Jordan-Marsh Co., Boston, says:
Professor Munyon:
Dear Sir—I have been taking Paw-Paw for some time as a strengthening tonic and it has proven itself a most wonderful medicine. I eat well and can thaithfully state that the food I eat digests perfectly. After taking Paw-Paw, I feel braced up and I recommend this wonderful remedy to all brain workers who are in need of a superior tonic.
(Signed) E. P. WOOD,
1169 State Street.

John Scott of Boston, says:
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(Signed) JOHN SCOTT,
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This advertisement is good for $1.00 on first purchase of $10.00 or more.
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a non-poisonous vegetable CURE for all private urinary diseases and weakness of men and women. ZY-MO is GUARANTEED TO CURE OR MONEY REFUNDED. Cures new cases in 48 hours without pain. Especially advised for old obstinate cases. Druggists, or sent prepaid, $1. Address Dr. Bax & Co., 87 Prager building, Boston, Mass. Free medical advice given. Write for book sent sealed—FREE. ZY-MO sold in Lowell by ELLINGWOOD & CO. Cen. St.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE—Will J. L. Smith who got Boston trip book at S. Scott's please return book and avoid further trouble.

DOUBLE STAMPS, BLUE—All this week 50 with a pound of Baking Powder, 40 with a pound of Tea, 20 with a pound of coffee. Double stamps on crockery and glassware. Dickson's tea store, 68 Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Carpenters. Call at 34 Berkeley avenue.

AGENTS WANTED—To sell a high grade office specialty to banks and business houses, liberal profits and permanent trade. Harper & Co., Camden, N. J.

WANTED—A girl to do housework. Apply 812 Central street.

WANTED—An experienced box shipper and nailer, also 3 expert nailed box makers. A. A. Flint's box factory, Tyngsboro, Mass.

WANTED—Woman to take care of two children. Call 1 rear 24 Coburn street.

BARBER wanted. Sun building.

WANTED—A table girl at 31 Stackpole street.

WANTED—Experienced cook at Osgood's, 29-31 Snell corp.

WANTED—Middle aged Catholic lady to do general housework; must be sober and upright. Call after 6 o'clock evenings at 36 Chamber street.

TABLE GIRL wanted at 539 Market street.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Stover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—Two smart, experienced kitchen girls at 63 Lee street.

WANTED—Lady agents not over 35 by a gentleman having a good article for sale. Write B. Stone, general delivery, Lowell.

AGENTS for accident and health insurance; large commissions to energetic solicitors; attractive policies; low premiums; applications easily obtained. Imperial Registration Co., 11 Broadway, New York.

TO MANUFACTURERS—Special advantages will be offered to manufacturers locating factories in a southern seaport city, the location of which is unexcelled for the speedy and economical distribution of manufactured products by rail or water to the largest consuming centres of the United States and foreign countries. It being only about 500 miles from New York city by sea, will furnish and require good references. For further information address "Development," care The Sun, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Six good carpenters. Apply at 11 Wilson street or 189 D street.

WANTED—A middle-aged woman to keep house for two people and one child; good home to the right party. Call this evening and Sunday, rear 621 High street.

WANTED—Housegirl at Employment office, 584 Gorham street.

TO LET

TO LET—Five-room tenement, hot and cold water, bath and pantry. Inquire rear of 204 South street.

TO LET—Warm, sunny tenements for the winter: Middlesex street, 3 rooms, $7.50 per month; 4 rooms, $8, and 5 rooms, $10. Marshall street, 3 rooms, $6.50. Upside Northern depot, 3 rooms, $8, and 4 rooms $9. Concord street, 3 rooms, $5.50, and five rooms, $7.50. Centralville, 5 rooms, $9.50. Every one of the above is in first-class condition and we invite your inspection. T. H. Elliott, 61 Central street.

TO LET—A store in Little Canada, corner Allen and Chelmsford streets; this store can be used as an office. Mrs. J. B. Charron, 18 Dentur street.

TO LET—Three or four room tenement, use of bath, hot and cold water. 494 Bridge street.

TO LET—Pleasant upstair tenement of 7 rooms; pantry, bath and good piazza; separate doors; at 339 Fairmount street, junction of Rogers. Apply 341.

TO LET—Desk room in one of the best fitted up offices in Lowell; steam heat, 'phone, large safe, etc. Inquire at rooms 47 and 48 Central block.

TO LET—Half double house, 110 Sixth street; 8 rooms; on car line. Apply 69 Myrtle street.

TO LET—An apartment of five rooms with bath and modern conveniences. 38 Branch street, corner Nesler's street.

TO LET—Nice 7 room cottage on State street. Inquire at 78 Tyler street.

TENEMENTS TO LET—On Ludlow street, containing five rooms, with bath, pantry and large yard. Inquire on premises or Wm. Clements, 414 Broadway.

TO LET—Steam heated rooms, gas and bath at 230 Gorham street.

TO LET—Cottage house on Batchelder's court. Key and information at next door.

TO LET—Tenement at 1 Branch place; rent $11. Inquire 35 Willie street.

Furnished Rooms

Best furnished rooms in the city, with steam heat, 9b the Elliott building, 200 Middlesex street.

TO LET

LOW PRICES. GOOD REPAIRS.

5 rooms, Hosford Sq.	$ 8.00
4 rooms, Abbott St.	8.00
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5 rooms, Cortlan St.	5.00
Store and 3 rooms, Central St.	12.00
Cottage and barn, Rogers St.	8.00
Cottage and barn, Varnum Ave.	8.00
Store and 3 rooms, Lawrence St.	8.00
Store, Merrimack St.	16.00
Blacksmith shop, Charles St.	1.00
5 rooms, Central St.	10.00
5 rooms, Liberty street	8.00
6 rooms, Westford St.	10.00

APPLY 468 CENTRAL STREET

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—By a dressmaker to go out sewing by the day, terms moderate. Address Dressmaker, Sun office.

WANTED—At once, position by an experienced bookkeeper. Best of references. Address, W. Sun office.

ENGINEER—second class, wants position; 15 years experience with high speed and compound engines; also experienced with locating engines. Address Engineer, Sun office.

WANTED—Situation as coachman; married; total abstainer, thoroughly understands the care of horses; first-class reference. Call 83 Chestnut street.

WANTED—A situation as meat or pastry cook; restaurant preferred. Inquire 280 Appleton street.

WANTED—A situation as housekeeper by widow with child 6 years old; very reliable housekeeper and first-class cook; in good family, none others need apply. Address X. Y. Z., Sun office.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A. Stein, 313 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in city. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN—Salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses without security; easy payments; largest business in 12 principal cities. Tolman, Room 26, Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Loans paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leighas, Room 9, Barristers hall.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—An English rabbit hound trained for hunting; good watch dog. Apply 17 D street.

FOR SALE—A good sewing machine; very reasonable. Inquire 63 Willow St.

FOR SALE—Small lodging house for sale cheap for cash. Inquire 389 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—First-class retail liquor saloon on Westminster street, Providence, R. I.; rent reasonable; part cash, balance can remain on mortgage. James McGinn, 26 Ames street, Providence, R. I.

FOR SALE—Cheap, nice chiffonniere bed. Apply 22 Third avenue, Pawtucketville; upstairs.

FOR SALE—Bay mare, 1000 lbs., natural roader and stylish; concord wagon, nearly new. Inquire at this office.

WOOD LOT FOR SALE—16½ acres, two miles from Pawtucket bridge; price $650; a great bargain. A. J. & H. W. J. Howe, Courier-Citizen building.

FOR SALE—A well furnished lodging house doing a good business in a central location. Address B. A. C., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Barber shop furniture cheap; for cash. Apply 67 Charles street.

FOR SALE—Good paying boarding house of 21 furnished rooms; fine location; will sell for $1100. Apply 27 Orchard street, Lawrence.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—Portable pool and billiard table, suitable for house use; will sell cheap if taken at once. Inquire No. 10 Sydney street.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 69 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Two nice male collie puppies, 4 months old, kind and affectionate; cheap to good home. Apply Billings' livery stable, Merrimack street, opposite Tremont.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 3/8 ink pads, 25c; 20c ink pads, 15c; 60c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c. per line. J. M. Fellows, 159 Merrimack St.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR A THOMPSON'S PREVENTION AND CURE. It prevents and cures colds, pneumonia, attacks of fever, sore throat, sore lungs, hard or painful coughs, la grippe and rheumatism in any stage. All druggists, 25c per bottle.

MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office, 355 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

MUSIC—German zither music furnished at reasonable rates for concerts, dinner parties, church entertainments and home recitals. John C. Hansen, Bon Marche studio.

MADAME LENOIRE, clairvoyant and card reader, corner Lawrence and Tyler streets. Ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c. Hours 10 a. m. to 12 and 2 to 10 p. m.

IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 340 Central St.

PARLOR MILLINERY—Mrs. A. Van Hise, 105 Gates street; opening Friday and Saturday; choice line of trimmed hats and latest millinery novelties.

IF YOU WANT to sell your house or farm let me hear from you quickly; if you want fire, life or accident and sickness insurance, it will pay you well to know what I can give you. M. J. Sharkey, Swan's building, 26 Central street.

MRS. FLETCHER, 769 Gorham street, trance business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 58 Middle street, Lowell, Mass. Telephone 336-13.

DRINK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Boyle Bros. Telephone.

PRIVATE LESSONS in English given to those who desire for 25 cents an hour; also lessons in drawing and painting for children; oils, water colors or crayon; 25 cents an hour; hours from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. Miss Wilkins, 169 Andover street.

BUY YOUR HAT at Delorme's, where you can have it cleaned free of charge for one year. Repairing a specialty. 281 Middlesex street.

LANDSCAPE GARDENER and turf grading. Apply M. J. Bloomfield, 31 West Fourth street.

THE COLONIAL COLLEGE of Dramatic Arts, Swan building; acting, elocution, oratory, dramatic literature. Call or write for prospectus.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 159 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGouran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City hall.

LADIES—Dr. LaFrance's Compound gives positive relief. Powerful combination. Used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents. Druggists or by mail. Address LaFrance & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects. Cures dandruff and itching scalp. Prevents falling hair. Harmless, 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw, 118 Middlesex street.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—A lamb. Owner can have by calling at 20 Smith street.

LOST—Gold chain bracelet on Merrimack or Central streets Wednesday afternoon. Reward for return to 61 Worthen street.

LOST—Between O'Donnell's and Kirk street, lady's pocketbook with sum of money Tuesday afternoon. Return 47 Schuler street.

LOST—Small picture pin somewhere between Coburn street and Hamilton mill. Reward for return to 90 Coburn street.

LOST—Pocketbook in 5 and 10 cent store Tuesday afternoon. If the lady who picked it up will return same to 5 and 10 cent store she will receive reward.

LOST—Saturday evening, purse containing small sum of money between John Nolan's residence and Chapel street. Finder rewarded at Sun office.

WANTED

YOUNG MEN to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamp. Department 34 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg, New York.

WANTED—To buy chickens. R. P. Rocks, R. I. Reds. Address, stating number and price, R. N. Meiker, Floredith farm, Collinsville, Mass.

WANTED—Small children to board; $1.50 per week. Mrs. Ellen Gower, Pelham, N. H.

WANTED—To buy home in the city for cash; only those that wish to sell and sell low need apply. Box 185, city.

LADIES wishing to make their own dresses will now have the opportunity to learn the Tailey Dress Cutting System at 62 London street. Come now.

YOUNG LADIES to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamps. Department 35 A, Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg, New York.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR SEPTEMBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of September, 1903, was **14,632** A gain of 1125 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Oct. 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

Two verdicts rendered in superior court yesterday afford ample proof of the wisdom of keeping dangerous dogs muzzled or else out of the way where they can do no harm.

The mule spinners have decided to investigate child labor in Lowell. That is a good idea. Sift the matter to the bottom and produce the proof if any there be, of the charges made that the law is being violated in regard to child labor in this city.

The Pelham Sing has become an established custom in Pelham and one which it is well to cherish as elevating and inspiring to the entire town. Whatever of sorrow, of adversity or disaster the town may have suffered during the year is forgotten on the day of Greeley's sing and all join in swelling the grand volume of ecstatic harmony that makes the welkin ring.

TEMPERANCE INSTRUCTION IN SCHOOLS.

The very commendable effort to have temperance instruction in the schools has met with a serious setback in Pennsylvania where the State Medical society has issued a pronunciamento against the text books used. A special committee of the society reports that after examining fifty-four text books, it finds those supervised by the W. C. T. U. most reprehensible in the matter of misstating the actual nature of alcohol and alcoholic drinks.

The committee very properly says that there is nothing to be gained by teaching that alcohol is a rank poison and that those who taste it are sinners. The pupil will sooner or later learn the truth and if he finds that his teacher misstated facts, much of the good effect of her other work in the pupils' behalf will be discredited or nullified.

PROFESSOR LANGLEY'S AIRSHIP.

For some years past Professor Langley, secretary of the Smithsonian Institute, has been studying hard upon a scheme for an airship, one that was to eclipse all other efforts at aerial navigation. Professor Manley, who had assisted Professor Langley in his exhaustive study, ventured to make the ascent, but was dumped into the Potomac river after the flying machine had been impelled about 100 yards by the initial impetus. It was dragged out a total wreck, and the whole affair was quite as amusing as the adventure of Darius Green and his "flying machen."

The Langley flying machine was made of steel and was sixty feet long, to be worked by a gasolene motor, assisted by large wings twelve by twenty-two feet.

The sudden descent of the machine from the launching elevation indicates that although it cost Professor Langley years of laborious effort, yet it has not a single fundamental principle of a real flying machine. The efforts of Santos Dumont in France met with fair success, and his idea of the essentials of an airship seem to be fairly correct. Langley's design, however, is evidently wrong in principle and utterly absurd as proved by yesterday's trial. He is said still to have faith in his invention, but that is the case with the author of every crazy notion, no matter how great the failure.

If we are soon to have airships we are convinced that they will not be of the Langley type.

CHAMBERLAIN'S DECEPTION OF BALFOUR.

One of the shrewdest and yet one of the meanest political tricks ever played by a politician was perpetrated upon Premier Balfour by Joseph Chamberlain, when the latter induced the premier to swerve from the free trade policy to a position colsely allied to that now held by Chamberlain himself.

Balfour changed his attitude in regard to free trade in order to hold Chamberlain in the cabinet, but by so doing he lost the support of men almost equally influential and important in his cabinet, such, for example, as the Duke of Devonshire. Then when Balfour had almost disrupted his party by publishing his views in favor of a certain form of protection, while his party was astounded at his assaults upon free trade, Chamberlain submitted his resignation on the ground that he was not in accord with the Premier on the tariff question and could not continue in the cabinet. At that same time, however, Mr. Balfour was more at odds with the rank and file of his supporters than he was with Chamberlain.

Thus Chamberlain left Balfour standing as it were upon an isolated rock in the ocean with the waves threatening to engulf him, and had not the king come to his rescue the prime minister must have gone down in the seething elements that assailed him.

Chamberlain has started upon his campaign and he is making an equally shrewd appeal to the people, attempting to convince them that England is falling behind the United States and Germany in her industrial status, and if he can convince the people of this and convince them that a protective tariff will restore England's industrial and commercial prestige, he will have won his battle and paved the way for his becoming prime minister of England.

There is no doubt that Chamberlain will stir the people to a demand for a radical change in the fiscal policy of England, and that sooner or later a system of protection and trade reciprocity will be established as a result.

THE PRESENT IMMIGRATION LAW.

The New York Chamber of Commerce has come out strongly against the present immigration law, claiming that it leaves to the steamship lines at the ports of departure too much discretion in the examination of intending immigrants.

This power, it is claimed, should rest mainly with the United States authorities, and an appeal is made for the repeal of the present law and the enactment of a more restrictive measure.

Under the act of 1893 the United States consuls at the ports of embarkation had jurisdiction over the immigrants allowed to embark for this country. Furthermore, the manifest sheets containing the names and information concerning the passengers were sworn to by the captain and surgeon of the ship before the United States consuls prior to sailing.

The new law passed, March 3 of the present year, provides that the oath, formerly taken before the U. S. consuls prior to sailing, is now taken before the immigration commissioners in the ports of arrival.

The consuls at the port of embarkation have now little or no supervision over the list of passengers, and this is the main point of the new law to which objection is taken.

It is claimed that under this arrangement a large number of undesirable immigrants have been landed on our shores during the past year, and that under the present law any nation in Europe can ship its paupers and criminals to this country. While such a thing may be barely possible to a limited extent, still matters are not quite as bad as represented by the New York Chamber of Commerce, but nevertheless it is to our interest in order to guard against the influx of undesirable immigrants, against the coming here of diseased persons and against smugglers to have the passengers scrutinized not only by the American consuls at the ports of embarkation but also by American doctors who can guard especially against the importation of diseases.

It is undeniable that the present law is too loose and unguarded to attain the best results. It can and should be improved.

SEEN AND HEARD

The poet is born; the poetess maid.

Even a man of high degree may be taken down by a stenographer.

Women are far more heroic than men—they back off a street car.

Going behind the bar is often the result of going before the bar.

It's a lucky thing for some men who claim to be the architects of their own fortunes that there were no building inspectors around.

Jokes in New York theatres must be pretty tough when one of them killed a a spectator Tuesday night. Are there any such death-dealing jokes hurled from Lowell playhouses?

We hear much about the state of the apple crop, but that useful household fruit, the grape, is overlooked. Grapes are scarce this year, and consequently there will be a lack of home "jels."

The strict observance by othodox Jews of their religious feasts, as was seen in Lowell last week, recalls the Jewish ideas on the meat question. Most of Lowell's beef comes from the west, but the Jews do not eat it. They are compelled by their religon to consume beef that is slaughtered nearer home, and have no use for meat that has been slaughtered more than 72 hours. The Jewish "Kosher" beef is killed by a rabbi. The animal is first strung up by hind legs. A strap is then placed around his nose and by a pully arrangement the head is thrown back completely exposing the throat. The rabbi, armed with a long, sword-like knife, then severs the jugular vein and the creature is left for several hours for the blood to flow out. The Jews in Lowell consumes a great many fowls also. They have a number of slaughter houses here.

To old residents in that vicinity it occasioned no surprise to hear that an old sewer had been discovered in Cross street. In the early history of Lowell, the lower end of cross street, especially that part near the "city yard," was low and marshy, and the present surface is "made land." Indeed, the "city yard" was the city dump and was used as a dump till the early 70's. At one time the Machine Shop dumped there, and many an "Acre" boy gathered old iron there and earned an honest penny by selling the junk to "Amby" Reidy. The Machine Shop refuse was a veritable Klondyke in those days, but the bosses of the "big shop" have grown wiser since, and its refuse is not so rich in "pay dirt."

"If "Mike" Mahoney turns down McKinley, which he is likely to do, and graces the state senate with his presence, we may loook for Lowell needs being pressed in oratory. Mr. Mahoney is a graduate of a school of elocution and a reader and actor of merit, as thousands can testify. He will fitly represent our great industrial community on the floor of the senate.

Automobiles are expensive luxuries. According to a local owner of one of these vehicles, the first cost is insignificant compared with the cost of repairs and the time consumed in keeping the "auto" in running order. "My machine is a standard make," he said, "and I bought it new from the manufacturers at a large cost, but I am continually compelled to pay for repairs, small in detail, but large in aggregate. I am satisfed that an automobile is not the vehicle for a person of moderate means."

$150,000,000 MORTGAGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 9.—A mortgage for $150,000,000, given by the Lehigh Valley railroad to the Girard Trust company of Philadelphia, was filed yesterday in the office of the record of deeds for the issue of general consolidated bonds which was lately authorized by the directors.

Putnam & Son Co.

166 Central Street

Concerning Clothes

WE wonder if the men to whom the many clothing advertisements are addressed ever think of the different degrees of tailoring — and there are degrees — or that some organizations employ only skilful tailors, masters of their craft — who command the highest price for their labor — while others content themselves with the cheapest workmen; cheapest for obvious reasons? After all it is the labor that counts for most in clothes. The man who pays a good many dollars for his suit gets more than mere fancy's worth: he gets the carefullest work of the carefullest tailors. The suit you pay $30 for will have more tailoring put into it than the one for $20. You can't get something for nothing, or all of all the best for a little.

In reckoning clothes values, remember what we have written, it applies here; everywhere; dollar for dollar's worth, this store is giving clothing values that wins it new friends every day — 'twas never stronger with the right kind of friend winners than at this moment.

ROGERS, PEET & CO.,

send us the carefullest tailored ready-to-wear clothing in the world. Clothes ready-to-put-on that are in a class by themselves. Merchant tailoring methods of the best sort have been applied on an enormous scale to the production of ready-made — by these people — and they have revolutionized the business. Today three-fourths of the men, to whom we sell Rogers-Peet's clothes have been accustomed to having suits made to order. They find this new way of getting clothes ever so much easier, more satisfactory, and far less expensive. We have now twenty-seven lots of Rogers-Peet's winter suits in fine cheviots, worsteds and blacks and blues ready for men who wish the best that money will pay for

$15 to $30 a suit

MEN'S WINTER SUITS,

for $10, $12 and $15, and we believe these are unquestionably the best suits ever shown for the price asked. These are all from cloths of our own selection — strictly all wool and in a very wide range of the newest colorings and handsomest patterns of today. With the fancy patterns superior qualities of black Thibets, unfinished worsteds and black worsted cheviots, cut by the latest patterns, tailored in our own shops, this moderate-priced clothing we stand back of, and guarantee to the fullest extent. The coats are in single and double breast sacks with the new close fitting collar and narrow graceful lapels. It is excellent clothing, of a distinct character, and, values considered, from $2 to $5 less in cost than others ask — our prices

$10, $12 and $15 the suit

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS,

that have created a furore with young men. We've got a new maker on these goods and he knows his business. He can give them all "cards and spades" and beat them hands down. If you're young—and haven't found suits that were up to your ideas of style, there's a great treat for you here. There's style in every inch of this young men's clothing, from coat collar to trousers hem. It's a trifle more than up-to-date in patterns of cloth and cut—and when it comes to fit, you'll admit, if you try it, you've never seen clothes fit as well. Sacks single or double breast; short and trappy; trousers big at the thigh, small at the foot; it's a great line—

$10 to $20 for this sort

Notice to Mothers of Boys

Though we believe our policy in regard to returns has had more influence than any one thing in building up our great business in men's clothing, we often forget that new customers, and especially mothers of boys, are not familiar with our methods. The key note of our policy is that no customer shall think that he or she has the worst end of any bargain with us. Anything bought in our store may be returned at any time, if unused, and no questions asked. If anything proves unsatisfactory after use, you alone shall judge of the service the thing should give, and we will take it back, refund the money, less what you say it has been worth to you. Under these conditions are we careful what we offer? Rather.

For Boys 3 Years to 6

there's nothing more juvenile than Russian blouse suits. The little frocks are made with the new Eton collar, with broad Sailor collars or with the military standing collar. These Russian suits of pretty cheviots or navy blue, brown and red serges, prices from

$3.50 to $7.00

For Boys 4 Years to 10

there's choice between Sailor blouse suits; the latest a double breast jacket with Eton collar, and Knickerbocker trousers, or the Sailor suit with deep collar plain or trimmed with silk braid, or the plaited and belted Norfolk suit. New colorings in cheviots, navy blue, brown and cadet blue serges and rough cheviots—these suits cost from

$2.00 to $7.00

For Boys 8 Years to 16

there's more latitude than in former years. The two-piece suit has been revived; a smart cut double breast jacket, quite like the young man's sack—with plain short trousers. The Norfolk suit made with plain or Knickerbocker breeches. The College cut three-piece suit, a single breast jacket, smartly cut away, with vest and short trousers. These three styles are equally desirable and we offer them in a large variety of new and very handsome cheviots, heavy plain serges, black and blue pure worsted serges and also in Thibets.

The prices as low as $2, $2.50 and $3.00, with the greatest showing from

$4.00 to $9.00

Other Things for Boys

Boys' Fall Weight Reefers	$2.50 to $6.00
Boys' Fall Top Coats	$2.50 to $6.00
Boys' Separate Winter Trousers,	25c to 95c
Boys' Winter Neglige Shirts	45c to 75c
Boys' Fancy Bosom Shirts	45c to 85c
Boys' Trimmed Night Shirts	46c
Boys' New Domet Night Shirts	46c
Boys' Underwaists	23c to 48c
Boys' Waists and Blouses	23c to 89c
Boys' Fleeced Underwear	23c to 48c
Boys' Wool and Jersey Underwear	48c
Boys' Heavy Sweaters	38c to $1.50
Boys' Golf Caps	12 1-2c to 50c
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OLD SOLDIER SUED

He Promised to Marry His Erstwhile Housekeeper

She Values Her Wounded Affections at $3000 — A Writ Was Served Yesterday

Because, she says, Sylvanus C. Smiley didn't keep his promise to marry her, Elizabeth R. Fulton has sued him for breach of contract. The writ was served yesterday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Clark and the amount of damage named is $3000.

Mr. Smiley is janitor at Post 120 hall and is prominent in Grand Army circles. Miss Fulton was Mr. Smiley's housekeeper for eight or 10 years and while serving in that capacity she alleges that Mr. Smiley promised to marry her and that he does not intend to fulfil his promise.

Both parties are well along in years. Mr. Smiley lives in Washington street. The writ is made returnable on the first Monday of November at the superior court in Cambridge.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

INTEREST IN THE FIRST ISSUE OF THE REVIEW.

The first number of the High School Review made its appearance yesterday. The contents of the paper are as follows: A new front page design has been made by Schyler Waller, a student and artist on the paper.

The contents of the paper are as follows, "Love Will Find a Way," a story; "How Sarah Jane Went to the Wedding," a story; "When Riches and Poverty Meet," a story; exchanges, personal, commercial department, editorial, athletics, etc.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE.

The following is the schedule of games to be played by the High school football team during the season:

Oct. 10, Lowell High vs. Revere High, at Lowell; Oct. 14, open; Oct. 17, Boston Mechanics Art vs. Lowell High, at Lowell; Oct. 21, Lowell High vs. Haverhill High, at Haverhill; Oct. 24, Lowell High vs. Lawrence High, at Lowell; Oct. 28, open; Oct. 31, Lowell High vs. Leominster High, at Lowell; Nov. 4, Nashua High vs. Lowell High, at Nashua; Nov. 7, Newburyport High vs. Lowell High at Newburyport; Nov. 11, Lowell High vs. Haverhill High, at Lowell; Nov. 14, Lawrence High vs. Lowell High, at Lawrence; Nov. 18, open; Nov. 21, Lowell High vs. Leominster, at Leominster; Nov. 26, Boston Preparatory vs. Lowell High, at Lowell.

TORTURED TO DEATH

BOY WAS PUNISHED BY SCHOOL TEACHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 9.—The trial of Andreas Dippold, a tutor who whipped to death the son of Director Koch of the Deutsche bank, a lad of 14 years, was continued yesterday at Beyreuth. The doctor who examined the body of the lad, Heinz Koch, testified that he had been tortured to death. Medical experts declared that the prisoner was mentally sound, but of unnatural instincts.

PERSONALS

Mr. Thomas McCarthy, teacher of flute and picolo, who is now engaged at Columbia theatre, Boston, is to remain in Lowell this winter. It was inadvertently stated that Mr. McCarthy was going to Lakewood, N. J. Although playing in Boston he will live at home, 13 Harrison street, this city.

Mrs. S. T. Ford spoke yesterday afternoon at Manchester, before the New Hampshire State Association of the Christian Church. Her subject was "Some Essentials in Primary Teaching."

Mrs. W. P. Libby of Somerville, and Mrs. Mattie Heath of Stanstead, P. Q., returned yesterday to Boston after making a visit with Mrs. James P. Roberts of West Fifth street.

The many Lowell friends of Rev. and Mrs. Charles R. McNally will hear with much pleasure that in a letter that reached Lowell yesterday, Mr. McNally stated that Mrs. McNally's health is very much improved, and while still in Nova Scotia, she expects to return to her home in Brooklyn, N. Y., in a few weeks.

The Rev. J. L. Hayle, pastor of the First Congregational church, Pelham, will, on October 11, 18 and 25, preach a series of three sermons on the "Parable of the Prodigal Son," and in the evening he will conduct services, illustrated by the stereopticon.

Miss Susie Corinne Smith, private secretary to Mr. S. E. Walker of Northfield, who is business manager of the "Christian Work," a periodical of which William Read Moody, elder son of the late Dwight L. Moody, is editor, is visiting her mother, Mrs. John T. Smith, of 21 Jewett street. Miss Smith returns to Northfield about October 20.

A very pleasant party of friends was entertained by Mrs. Melvin of South street, Chelmsford, on Thursday evening. Those present were from Lowell and Chelmsford. Miss Eaton and Mrs. Chellis entertained by musical selections, and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Felker and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Twiss of Tewksbury are at East Jaffrey, N. H., and report hunting and fishing excellent and are having a general good time.

John E. Maguire of the bureau of information at the police station, is on a two weeks' vacation in New York.

Miss Edith Fellowes of Haverhill is on a visit to her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Fisk, at 40 Gates street.

William Dalmage, assistant janitor of city hall, is on his vacation, which he is spending at Swansea, near Fall River.

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BOY DISAPPEARED

His Mother Thinks He Was Kidnapped

Mrs. Frezette, mother of the boy, Commodore Frezette, who is missing from his home at 38 South street, called at this office this morning and asked to have a certain statement embodied in the story of her boy's disappearance corrected. She said: "I do not think my husband had anything to do with the boy's disappearance. I do believe,

COMMODORE FREZETTE.

however, that Mr. White knows where the boy is." As already stated the boy left home in company with Eli White, a Middlesex street hairdresser, Saturday morning. Mr. White engaged the boy to clean a cellar but when the boy looked the job over, Mr. White says, he decided that he wouldn't have anything to do with it, and left the shop. That was the last Mr. White saw of the boy. Mr. White has told his story to the police and to the clerk of the police court. He says he is in no way responsible for the boy's disappearance. As the boy is sixteen years of age it is just possible that he may have considered himself able to look out for himself for a while, but the probability is that he has either been taken by force or lured away for some reason as yet unknown.

OBJECT TO TERMS

Will of Susan Blaisdell to be Contested

The terms of the will of Susan A. Blaisdell, who died in this city a few months ago, are being objected to by her heirs-at-law. A hearing in the matter was held in the probate court at Cambridge on Wednesday. Mrs. Blaisdell was the widow of Hiram W. Blaisdell who was well known in this city. Her relatives who were beneficiaries claim that she was of unsound mind when the will was made. She disposed of property to the amount of about $30,000, about $20,000 of which went to her relatives.

W. C. T. U. REPORT

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR ENSUING YEAR.

The annual business meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held yesterday afternoon, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. W. H. Yarrow; secretary, Mrs. Ida Burk; treasurer, Mrs. L. A. Black; auditor, Mrs. Louise M. Fletcher; evangelical and press superintendent, Mrs. E. C. Brown; superintendent of work among the sailors, Mrs. J. H. Shaw; superintendents of literature, Mrs. H. C. Wilder and Mrs. J. Dennis; superintendent of anti-narcotics, Mrs. Louise Fletcher; superintendent of almshouse, Mrs. Gillespie; superintendent of employment bureau, Mrs. L. A. Black.

The secretary read the following report: "The union has held 10 business sessions, and 10 devotional meetings at these rooms. They have held 14 gospel temperance services at the city farm, the pastors of our different churches willingly giving their time to conduct each service. Miss Maude Black has kindly volunteered to assist in the music, both instrumental and vocal. We would extend our hearty thanks to all who have helped us in this work. Our superintendents of almshouse work, Mrs. Gillespie and Mrs. Harris, are worthy of our sincere thanks for their faithful visitations among the inmates of the farm. Many a lonely one has been cheered and encouraged to a better life by these workers. We would thank the editors of our local papers for their generosity in affording us space for many columns of reading. The numbers in our union have decreased to some extent the past year. Several have left the city. Three have withdrawn from us, one who has been long with us having decided to take up work with another organization. Two have died, or been promoted, as our state president likes to say of those whom God has taken from our ranks. Mrs. Sarah Spaulding of Chelmsford and Miss Jennie Piggott of Lowell are the deceased members. We have at present 120 members, 102 active and 18 honorary.

Respectfully submitted,
E. C. BROWN, Secy."

EVENING SCHOOLS

REGISTRATION BEGAN LAST EVENING FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

Registration for the elementary evening schools began last evening. The registration at the High school commenced a week ago, continuing this week.

The schools reported the average number of pupils turning in for registration on the first night. A very large number of Greeks turned in at the Mann school. Should the number prove too large for accommodations, an overflow room, with a Greek interpreter, will be opened at the Green school, as was done last year.

SAVAGE ATTACK

Was Made on Woman in Nashua

MRS. GEORGE E. FRIEND WAS BRUTALLY ASSAULTED

Her Assailant Made His Escape

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 9.—Mrs. Geo. E. Friend, a resident of Derry, who is visiting relatives in this city, was the victim of a very bold assault while walking along West Hollis street yesterday morning.

Mrs. Friend was on her way to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs. Amos Webster, who live on the Dunstable road, just outside the city limits. When near the Nashua machine plant a man rushed out of a growth of scrub oaks in that vicinity and grabbed her by the throat.

The fellow struck her several times, and despite her struggles threw her to the ground and attempted to drag her into the bushes.

Mrs. Friend screamed for help and attracted the attention of some railroad men. When her assailant saw the men approaching he again struck Mrs. Friend and ran away.

Mrs. Friend was taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Albert H. Bailey, of 17 Palm street, and the police were notified.

Mrs. Friend was quite severely bruised about the head and face.

A SON BORN

TO THE MARQUIS OF DONEGAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 9.—An heir was born on Wednesday to the Marquis of Donegal, who is eighty years of age, and who married Miss Twining of Halifax, N. S., who was 22 years old at the beginning of the year. The Marquis had twice previously been married without having issue.

DAIGH DECLARED INSANE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—Charles A. Daigh, at one time consulting engineer for the U. S. government in the Clyde shipyards, was declared insane in the court at the detention hospital yesterday. He was committed to the Jefferson asylum. Daigh was a consulting engineer on the battleships Indiana, Kearsarge and Kentucky. He was also at one time assistant chief engineer at the Brooklyn navy yard. He is 43 years old.

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GAIN OF 15,000

Report Made to Gaston Managers

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—An important conference took place at the Revere House last evening, the chairmen of the democratic town and city committees of Greater Boston (not including Boston) rendering reports as to the conditions in their sections.

The net result indicated a tremendous gain for Colonel Gaston.

The candidate for governor was unable to meet the chairmen. He was at Lawrence, where the committee of that city listened to an informal talk on organization. Congressman McNary, chairman of the state committee, represented Mr. Gaston at the Revere House meeting.

There were no set speeches. About all present made informal remarks and listened to advice given by Mr. McNary. A conservative estimate of the democratic gain in Greater Boston (not including Boston) was 15,000. The chairmen were enthusiastic, reporting that the "feeling in the air" in their districts was along the line of a democratic victory.

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For all others who have not previously attended the Lowell Textile school examinations will be held in the subjects of Arithmetic and English at the school on

Thursday, October 15, 1903, at 7 O'clock, P. M.

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THE MATHEWS

REV. W. GEORGE MULLIN, CHAPLAIN M. T. I.

Will Take Part in the Peabody Parade

Tomorrow will be the 113th anniversary of the birth of Rev. Theobald Mathew, known throughout the civilized world.

Rev. Fr. Mathew was born at Thomastown, county Tipperary, Ireland, Oct. 10th, 1790, and died about 1874, after years of labor devoted to a cause, which though at that time was destined to be unpopular, has happily grown in popular esteem.

Though the great temperance advocate is dead, as is also his co-worker in the cause, Fr. Thomas Berke, yet their efforts, futile as they may have seemed during their early work, have been taken up with renewed vigor by societies in every city and hamlet in the land with eminent success.

Here in Lowell two societies organized to promote total abstinence have been founded, both enjoying prosperity in the full measure.

In the adjacent towns, too, the temperance spirit has found many supporters, as the large membership of the St. Johns society of North Chelmsford and the Mathews of Billerica will attest.

But though temperance organizations have been formed, until they have become numberless, Lowell feels justly proud in having in its midst, a society whose prestige is felt throughout all New England. Not alone is the Mathew Temperance Institute admired for having the largest number of members in New England, but also because of the great work done and fine results attained among the Catholic youth of our city, for the past 20 years.

Ever since the date of its inception, January 1, 1882, the Mathews have made rapid gains in membership until at present the rolls show the record breaking number of 700. Financially speaking, the institute is in the finest condition possible, holding real estate to the value of $15,000, and with over $600 in the treasury. This is a record unparalleled in the history of any Catholic society in Massachusetts and of which any community might well feel proud.

TOMORROW'S OBSERVANCE.

The commemoration of the total day of all temperance bodies will not be celebrated in this city tomorrow, it having been exclusively announced in The Sun some weeks ago that the principal observance of the day in Massachusetts would be held in Peabody. The parade in that city tomorrow, while under the supervision of the Essex County C. T. A. U., will be participated in by many organizations from other counties. One of these organizations is the Mathews of our city, which is affiliated with the Boston Archdiocesan T. A. Union.

The Essex County union embraces societies in Lynn, Danvers, Haverhill, Lawrence, Salem, Beverly, Amesbury, Groveland, Methuen, Newburyport, Peabody, Marblehead and Georgetown, all of which have voted to participate in the demonstration. With delegations from the societies in the Boston union and the full quota of members of the Mathews of Lowell in line it can safely be said that nearly 2500 men will take part, thereby eclipsing in numbers the state parade held in Lowell last year.

Hon. Michael P. Ray of Peabody is chief marshal of the parade, and among the members of his staff will be Messrs. Wm. J. Collins and John J. Dolan of this city. The procession will form on Lowell street in Peabody at 2.45 o'clock with the St. John's society of Peabody, headed by Stiles' Eighth Regiment band occupying the right of line.

HUMPHREY F. SULLIVAN, President M. T. I.

LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS.

The final arrangements for the conveyance of the Mathews to Peabody will be announced this evening. The Mathews are to meet in special session this evening for the purpose of admitting new members.

It is arranged to have the members meet at the hall at 1 p.m. sharp, where the line will be formed and a march begun to the Merrimack street depot. The Lowell Military band of 30 pieces will furnish music. At the depot the special train, chartered by the society, will be boarded and with the exception of a brief stop at the Northern depot will proceed directly to its destination. At Peabody the society will be met by members of the chief marshal's staff and escorted to the starting point, which is Lowell street.

At 2.45 p.m. the procession will move over a rather extended route, embracing the principal streets in the business portion of Peabody. At the head of the Mathews will ride Alderman Richard J. McCluskey, marshal; Rev. W. George Mullin, spiritual director, and mounted aids. Delegations from the Burkes of Lowell, the Mathews of Billerica and the St. John's of North Chelmsford will also accompany the Mathews.

ENTERTAINED IN LYNN.

In response to an invitation from the Fr. Mathew T. A. society of Lynn, the local contingent will be entertained by that body after the parade at their commodious quarters in Lynn. A concert, smoker-talk and supper, interspersed with speeches by Lowell and Lynn men will be provided. Pres. Sheehan of the Lynn society states that no stone will be left unturned to make the visit of the Mathews one long to be remembered.

After the festivities in Lynn cars will be taken for Peabody, where at 11 o'clock the special will be taken for the return to the City of Spindles. The Peabody and Salem societies will also escort to the parades in their respective cities.

This is being the manner in which Fr. Mathew's birthday is to be commemorated and though not in Lowell the good wishes and congratulations of many admirers go with that progressive society, the Mathew Temperance Institute, that stands first, last, and always for "temperance, peace and prosperity" in the community.

PRESIDENT MET CABINET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9. President Roosevelt yesterday summoned to the White House several members of his cabinet. They were Secretaries Hay, Moody and Cortelyou, and Attorney General Kneen.

It was the desire of the president merely to discuss with these members of his official cabinet. They remained with him for about three quarters of an hour. While no statement of the nature of the conference was made public, it is known that it was not of public importance.

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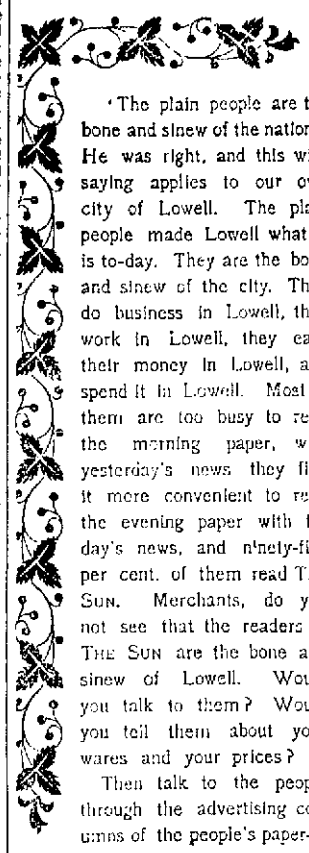

"The plain people are the bone and sinew of the nation." He was right, and this wise saying applies to our own city of Lowell. The plain people made Lowell what it is to-day. They are the bone and sinew of the city. They do business in Lowell, they work in Lowell, they earn their money in Lowell, and spend it in Lowell. Most of them are too busy to read the morning paper, with yesterday's news they find it more convenient to read the evening paper with to-day's news, and ninety-five per cent. of them read THE SUN. Merchants, do you not see that the readers of THE SUN are the bone and sinew of Lowell. Would you talk to them? Would you tell them about your wares and your prices?

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WILD SHOOTING

Reckless Hunters Disturb Tewksbury Folk

Reckless shooting is disturbing the good people over Tewksbury way, and they want it stopped. Hunters, criminally careless, they say, are in the woods day in and day out, especially on Sunday, and they seem to have utter disregard for life or property.

Last Sunday one of the oldest residents of the town lost a valuable St. Bernard dog in this way. He was in the house at the time and heard the fatal shot fired but when he arrived upon the scene the men had decamped. Some of his employes, however, had seen the hounds of the hunters previous to the shooting, though they failed to obtain a glimpse of the men. The dog at the time was on the premises of his master and was within 300 feet of the barn, and the owner is of the opinion that the dog was killed in cold blood instead of by mistake or accident.

As there was a cow on the other side of the wall just below the spot where the dog was killed, it is believed that the cow also had a narrow escape.

Last year a resident of the town while walking on the shore of Mud Pond was startled by a bullet which whizzed by his head, having evidently come from the other side of the pond.

VICEROY HAUEN

IS STAMPING OUT THE REVOLUTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 9.—Viceroy Tan Shun Hauen, since taking charge of the movement against the Kwang Si rebels of South China has been successful and Hong Kong papers predict that he will crush the revolution which has been in progress for three years and which is aided by the Chinese in the United States and elsewhere. A large consignment of arms was successfully run to the rebels during August.

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TO INVESTIGATE

Committee on Child Labor to Visit Lowell

Now that a special committee has been appointed to investigate the child labor question in the Lowell mills it is to be hoped that something will be done to render it impossible for children under 14 years of age to procure certificates. Because Supt. Whitcomb says there are no children under the age limit employed in the mills in Lowell doesn't make it so. The reading public have long since known that Mr. Whitcomb is not infallible. He's an easy talker and while he may have all the confidence that he says he has in the officers who issue certificates to applicants, he must make a personal investigation of the situation before he appears in print as authority for the statement that the law is being observed to the letter.

The mill agents are a unit in declaring that they will give the committee appointed by the mule spinners courteously and that they will be as much interested in the investigation as will be the committee. It is right that the agents should be interested, and let us hope that when the committee comes to Lowell that all of the children employed in the mills today will be there.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The Miss New York, Jr., extravaganza company opened a three nights' engagement at the Academy of Music last night and despite the inclemency of the weather there was a very large and appreciative audience. Miss New York, Jr. is by no means new to this city, and this show has always played to crowded houses. While the performance is almost entirely different from last year, if anything it is better, a higher class of artists being with the company, while the songs are new and catchy, the chorus good and the costumes worth of the most costly nature.

The performance opens with a satire entitled "Sir Thomas Slipton's Reception," which is a musical skit for laughing purposes only. The cast is made up of such people as Billy Pearl, Herman Marion, Albert Lavelle and Miss Minnie Granville and others. Billy Pearl and Herman Marion, who impersonated Capt. Hardweather and Homfut, an actor, respectively, kept the audience convulsed with laughter during the greater part of the performance, their funny songs, new and up-to-date jokes, together with their funny situations, serving as laugh makers.

The performance opens with a medley entitled "Over the Pommery Pass," Miss Minnie Granville, assisted by the chorus, sings "My Little Coney Island," and for an encore rendered "Julia." "When the Watermelon Comes Around" was sung by Billy Pearl and Miss Granville and Wells. A mixed sextet sang "Hy Le, Hy Le," and "Asleep in the Deep" was well received, the solo parts being sustained by Miss Granville, Ed Faundleroy, assisted by the company, gave "Caroline, My Caroline," and the closing finale introduced the following musical numbers: "When the Band Was Playing Dixey," "A Starry Night," "My Nightingale," and "Gen. Hartack on Guard."

The olio opens up with vocal selections by Miss Pemberton, a Haverhill girl, who charmed the audience with her sweet voice and clever situations. Albert and Rose Lavelle gave a novel and very entertaining turn, performing a number of very difficult and pretty knick knack dances, while their turn wound up with an exhibition of the Sevengali doll, Miss Lavelle being the doll. Marion and Pearl, comedians and eccentric acrobats, spring jokes, sing songs and wound up with a clever acrobatic act. Odell and Pearce, two old favorites in this city, appeared in their new Alphonse and Gaston act, which brought forth hearty applause. The Fountaineys wound up the olio with a new and novel electrical singing act, the singing of "The Holy City" with kinetoscope accompaniment, being something which has never been exhibited in this city before.

The performance concluded with a mirth provoking comedy in one scene, a satire on the opera Ermine, entitled "Dear Minnie." Several new songs were introduced during the performance of the satire and the chorus appeared in many different and beautiful costumes.

Taken as a whole the company is a good one and well worth seeing. Performances will be given this afternoon and evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening.

TO STOP LOOTING

PLAN SUGGESTED BY A SOMERVILLE CITIZEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—At the meeting of the Somerville board of aldermen last night, a lengthy communication was received from William H. Ennis of ward 7, who was at one time a member of the city government.

Mr. Ennis called attention to numerous robberies, which he declared were perpetrated in the city to his knowledge by men who secured entrance to houses by displaying a badge purporting to proclaim them employes of gas, electric light and telephone companies.

He asked the aldermen to stop the wholesale looting of houses by enacting an ordinance compelling such companies to put their employes in uniforms.

The communication was referred to the police committee.

BRAZILIAN OFFICERS GREETED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9—Secretary Hay presented to the president yesterday the officers of the Brazilian warship Benjamin Constant, which is now in this country paying an official return visit for visit of the Brazil to present the compliments of Brazil to present the compliments of this government at the time of the inauguration of the president of that republic. The president greeted the officers cordially. They communicated to him the official assurances of good will and friendship of Brazil.

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BOSTON ONCE MORE

Collins' Men With Dineen Pitching Scored Victory

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 9—Hushed was the hilarity of the National league rooter last night, while the American leaguer was crowing.

Six to three was the score yesterday afternoon and the series now stands three games apiece. Up to the present time the only club in the world to a Pittsburger is the Pittsburg baseball club. No other side is in it with his, and the fact is pointed to with proper pride that the National league pennant was won by Pittsburg, although the team was complete in but 17 championship games this season. This speaks volumes for the Pittsburg team, but not very highly for the clubs with which they contested the past season.

"Not in our class," was the verdict after Boston went down three out of the first four games, but it is now a different story and it is agreed that the Boston American league team is the only one in the land today that has a right to dispute with Pittsburg the matter of baseball supremacy.

Despite the fact that Phillippe is to face the Boston boys today, they feel sure they will be able to take his measure. All three games won by the Pittsburg team have been taken with Phillippe in the box.

True to his promise, Manager Collins put Bill Dineen in to pitch yesterday. It was generally expected that young Yell would do the trick for the locals, but Leever showed up so well in practice that it was decided to put him in the box. He did very well, but the Bostons managed to hit him when runs were needed, while the Pittsburgs hit Dineen in but one inning, so that in the last 18 innings the locals have scored in just two against Collins' men. Every one of the Bostons hit safely—Stahl and Parent each made three-base hits and Lachance got in a drive for two bases. On the other hand, Pittsburg secured but three hits up to the seventh inning. In the seventh they bunched three singles and a double and got two bases on balls and made all of their three runs.

The visitors put up a magnificent article of ball, decidedly the best they have put up in the series. They were very fast, in fact they fairly carried away one's breath by the way they raced after balls that seemed destined to go safely, and they practically played an errorless game. Fred Parent did his work in beautiful style. Hobe Ferris at second let nothing by him. Lachance played a great game at first, and Capt. Collins did not let a thing get away from him, and the way he handled a bunt of Phelps' was a thing to be seen to be appreciated. The work of the Boston outfield was all that could be desired and all of the men made some fine catches.

The Pittsburgs played great ball—they had to in order to avoid a worse beating than they got. Wagner was the mark at short, Ritchey played like the artist that he is and excellent work was done by Beaumont in the outfield. Mr. Beaumont did something he did not do in Boston, he showed great form with the stick and cracked the ball safely four times in succession.

It was a great day for a game of ball and the fans turned out in fine fashion to see the sport. As was the case Wednesday, Secretary Locke was compelled to shut down on the sale of grand stand seats, for that place was packed to the doors. Strings of people lined the ropes in the outfield and ground rules had to be adopted, allowing a man three bases on a ball into the crowd. Hit two hits went into the congested district, those of Parent and Stahl, and Stahl's would have been good for a home run on the ground but for the throng.

The attendance was not quite so large as that of Wednesday, but it was a big crowd, 11,556, and talk about rooting. The noise was simply deafening when Pittsburg began to score in the seventh inning. Without doubt Dineen was a bit unsteady and he was not to be blamed if such were the case. The locals got no chance like this again, for it was one, two, three in the eighth inning, and in the ninth Beaumont started the inning with a hit and any kind of a rally would have precipitated another storm of cheering, but Clarke hit directly into Parent's hands, who threw to Lachance, accomplishing a double play, and then the Boston bunch had a chance to let themselves out. Then Leach fouled to Criger and the game was over.

That Boston bunch! Don't say a word! They can't talk above a whisper. Not a man, or a lady for that matter, of the lot would have missed the spectacle of yesterday for a good deal. The rooters were in their usual places behind the Boston bench. As usual, they went to the grounds behind their band, which was engaged for the series. Nothing slow about that delegation.

"I do not know what I would have done without them," said Manager Collins. "Their aid in encouraging us to victory has meant lots and lots to us in these games. They share in the victory with us." Each of the rooters was presented with a tiny parasol by a local firm. Each of these parasols was parti-colored and the effect was very pretty as the men waved them in different ways when they sang and marched through the streets after the game.

After the game the band and the Boston rooters clambered down over the front of the grand stand, got into line, marched across the diamond and thence into the streets, and cheering and howling, made a short circuit before arriving at the hotel. There was lots of hollooing on the part of the spectators, but most of it was in a kindly spirit. One of the carriages conveyed Mrs. Young, Mrs. Ferris and Mrs. Lachance, and a jolly lot they were. Mrs. Young arrived only Wednesday from the west, and therefore has a percentage of 1000 in victories.

The weather was splendid for the game. The heavy rains of Wednesday night left the air decidedly cool, still it was not uncomfortable. Young batted to the infield. "I'll give 'em enough to do," and he hit the balls around in a way that made the "rubbits" hustle, as he calls Ferris and Lachance. Gibson and Hughes were also in uniform and indulged in batting practice, and Charlie Farrell handed a few down to second base. Young Yell did a few stunts for the locals so as to have his hand in if anything happened to Sam Leever.

The game began promptly with Boston at the bat. The way the Bostons started in in the third and fifth innings was very tiresome to the local rooters, and as the game progressed was very suggestive of a shutout, and therefore the rally of the seventh was all the more appreciated, inasmuch as the locals not only scored but had a chance to tie the game. It was touch, indeed, that hopes were dashed after they had been raised to such a high degree. As has been true in the other games in the series, there was no hitch in the proceedings. Mr. O'Day umpired in the same satisfactory way on balls and strikes that he has in the series, and there is no doubt he is without a superior in this respect, while Mr. Connolly did excellent work on the bases. They make a fine team, this pair.

The following is the score:

BOSTON.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Dougherty lf	3	1	1	1	1	0	0
Collins, 3b	5	1	1	1	1	2	0
Stahl cf	5	2	4	4	2	0	0
Freeman rf	5	0	0	0	1	0	0
Parent ss	4	2	1	3	5	2	0
Lachance 1b	4	0	1	2	9	2	0
Ferris 2b	4	0	2	2	1	3	0
Criger c	4	0	1	1	6	0	1
Dineen p	4	1	1	1	1	2	0
Totals	38	6	10	15	27	11	1

PITTSBURG.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Beaumont cf	5	1	4	4	5	0	0
Clarke lf	5	0	2	3	2	0	0
Leach 3b	5	0	0	0	1	2	2
Wagner ss	3	0	0	0	2	5	1
Bransfield 1b	3	0	1	1	11	0	0
Ritchey 2b	3	0	0	0	1	3	0
Schriver rf	4	1	2	2	2	0	0
Phelps c	4	1	1	1	3	0	0
Leever p	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	36	3	10	11	27	12	3

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Boston	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	0	0—6
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0—3

Earned runs, Pittsburg 2, Boston 3. Two base hits, Clarke, Lachance. Three base hits, Stahl, Parent. Stolen bases, Beaumont 2, Clarke, Leach, Stahl. Double plays, Ritchey, Wagner and Bransfield; Parent and Lachance. First base on balls, off Leever 2, off Dineen 3. Hit by pitched ball, Parent. Struck out, by Leever 2, by Dineen 3. Time, 2.02. Umpire O'Day and Connolly. Attendance, 11,556.

ARGUMENTS HEARD

IN CASE AGAINST NORTHERN PACIFIC ROAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 9.—Arguments were begun yesterday in the United States court of appeals in the case of Camille Weidenfeld against the Northern Pacific road.

This is the original Peter Power case, the first attempt made to defeat the merger before it had completed its gigantic deal for control of two road systems.

The arguments are made on an appeal by Weidenfeld from the order of the United States circuit court through Judge Lochren, dismissing the bill of complaint against the railroad two years ago.

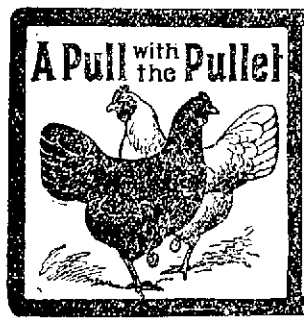
The original action was brought to enjoin the Northern Pacific railroad from retiring $75,000,000 of preferred stock, the first move in the merger scheme.

The attorneys for Weidenfeld insist that the case involves directly the entire merger question, while the appellee declares it does not.

WILLIAM R. KEW

POLICE CAPTAIN KNOWS ALL ABOUT CHINAMEN.

A morning paper says that Police Captain William R. Kew, doesn't believe that local Chinamen are interested in the factional rumpus among Boston Chinamen. The captain says that if any Lowell Chinamen were implicated in the affair he would know about it. It is really too bad that the writers of the "sensational" news didn't know that Captain Kew was in so close touch with the local celestials.



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8 White Silk and Lace Waists, were $7.98 and $10 - - $5 Each

6 Mercerized Cheviot Waists, were $5.49 at - - - - $2.98 Each

8 Black Peau de Soie Waists, were $5.50 to $6.49, at - - - - $4.50

7 Black Silk Waists, were $7.50 to $8.50 at - - - - - - $5.98

1 French Flannel Kimona, was $12.50, at $5.00

1 Japanese Silk Kimona, was $10, at $3.00

2 Eider Down Bath Robes, were $5, and $7, at - - - - - $3.98

30 Light Colored Percale Wrappers, were $1.50, at - - 98c. Each

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SHY OF NAMES

"Tommy" Little's Papers Will Hardly Go

Unless He Adds More Names to Them as Required by Law —Registrars Reject Many of the Signers — Some of Those Who Signed

The nomination papers filed by "Tommy" Little as the "republican independent" candidate for senator in the seventh district form a wonderful instrument and the poor registrars of voters, whose task it was to see how many of the signatures attached thereto are those of legal voters, has been no sinecure.

Orthographically speaking, as John B. Clancey would put it, the papers are a work of art, many of the signatures closely resembling a Chinese laundry check. Originally there were 160 names on the list, but of these only 100 got by the registrars.

It would now appear that "Tommy" hasn't names enough on his papers to get his name on the official ballot, though it wouldn't take him long to raise other names by means of another paper.

The law requires one name for every 100 votes cast for governor at the last state election, and the gubernatorial vote of the district last fall was considerably over 10,000, the nomination paper thus requiring 100 names.

All parties are included among those who signed "Tommy's" papers, including some whose names are not on the voting lists at all, and others whose names were written in such a manner that the writers themselves could not identify them.

Among the signatures appended to "Tommy's" papers are the following:

Robert Judge, James C. Little, Josiah A. Dow, Frank L. Dies, Edwin S. Bantman, James F. Walker, Edward Lyman, Patrick Mealey, James E. Morrisson, Thomas Finnick, William M. Burns, Leonard A. Lantz, Frederick H. Corgeshall, Warren R. Stone, Joseph H. Miller, Martin L. Kirby, Charles P. Lynch, Hugh W. Erdos, Frank C. Way, Francis Hayes, Edward W. Chadbourne, Edward H. Page, Henry J. Tarbell, Elmer H. White, George E. Maynard, John H. Cogger, Cortes M. Allen, Albert P. Davis, William Brown, Samuel Scott, James H. Collins, Richard J. Flynn, Louis F. Melancon, Frank E. Partridge, Bradley A. Messer, John H. Colver, Frank H. Stratton, Edwin A. Wood, Charles H. Hill, John M. Wood, John J. David, Joseph Cygonotte, William C. Eccles, George P. Walker, John B. Clancey, James J. Hayes, James Boyd, Charles J. Tiffey, Thomas F. Hennessey, Thomas J. Fitzgerald, Felix D. Tougeveria, Oliver H. Estabrook, William L. Halligan, Frank Mangovan, John W. Greenlaw, Daniel Carleton Mulcahey, James A. Rollins, John H. Ward, Josiah H. Bartlett, Patrick J. Canty, Michael F. McHugh, Michael J. Fay, Joseph Hebert, Joseph S. Ellis, William J. Kerr, James Leach, Dennis Crowley, Peter Mollahan, Edward McGauvran, Peter J. McGauvran, Frederick J. Thorpe, John H. Kennedy, John S. Stratton, John P. McDonald, Robert M. Axtell, Joseph A. Pion, Cornelius J. Monahan, Jeremiah Murphy, Clyde M. Widnier, James Barrett, John Barrett, Joseph F. Convery, Louis Titro, Philip H. Haby, Patrick Cogger, Robert L. Stevens, Albert J. Warren, Edward R. Donovan, Frank H. Adams, John M. Farrell, John J. Ryan, John J. Burns, Frank E. Johnson, George E. Thorne, James M. Hancock, Frank A. Goss.

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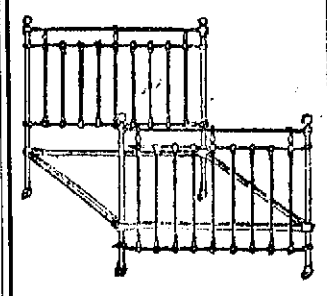

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Has Had Much Hospital Experience

Dr. Arthur K. Drake, of the State hospital at Tewksbury, was yesterday elected superintendent of the Lowell General hospital, at a meeting of the executive committee of the trustees held in the afternoon.

For the past three years Dr. Drake has been assistant superintendent of the State hospital and a very efficient official. He is 30 years of age, unmarried, a graduate of Harvard, and has had 10 years' hospital experience. He is well known here among the members of the medical fraternity, all of whom speak highly of him.

Dr. Drake will not only have general charge of the affairs of the hospital, but he will also direct the work of the Training school for nurses. He will give a regular series of lectures on the topic of benefit to nurses.

POWDER MAGAZINES

SITE NEAR CITY FARM VISITED YESTERDAY.

A sub-committee of the overseers of the poor, accompanied by Supt. Beals, visited the proposed site of the street department's powder magazine in the vicinity of the old rifle range, yesterday afternoon. The locality appears to be reasonably safe for a magazine. No action was taken.

41 NAMES

ADDED TO VOTING LIST BY REGISTRARS.

The registration at City Hall yesterday resulted in the placing of forty-one new names on the voting lists. The registration by wards was as follows: Ward one, 4; Ward two, 7; Ward three, 4; Ward four, 4; Ward five, 4; Ward six, 4; Ward seven, 4; Ward eight, 1; Ward nine, 9. Total 41. This makes six less than Wednesday. The hours of registration today will be from 2 o'clock until 3 and from 7 until 8.

100,000 MEN

CANADA PLANS TO HAVE STRONG ARMY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 9.—Sir Frederick Borden, minister of militia and defense in the house yesterday on a vote of $1,300,000 for arms and equipment, said that it was intended to have a force of 100,000 to be called on in case of emergency. Of these 40 per cent. will be enlisted at once and nearly one-half will be called upon for annual drill. The other 60 per cent. will be supplied with arms and ammunition and will be ready in case of trouble.

All the officers and non-commissioned officers will have to turn out for annual drill. The ordinance corps, an engineer corps and a mounted corps will be established at once.

LAID ON TABLE

Order to Build New York Street Bridge

HELD BACK IN THE STREET COMMITTEE

Committee Gone to Inspect Bridges

The committee on streets had a tour of inspection yesterday afternoon with a meeting at City Hall in the evening.

Little business of importance came up and the session was a brief one.

On the petition for sidewalks on Paige and B streets the committee recommended leave to withdraw, but sidewalks were recommended on C and Lincoln streets.

The petition for a sidewalk on Vernon street was referred to the city engineer as it involves the cutting down of a large tree and the lowering of a grade.

On motion of Councilman Fleming the petition for the paving of Hampshire street with tar macadam was taken from the table. The estimate for the work is $13,?86. He moved that it be recommended and the motion was passed.

Councilman Fontaine, as a sub committee on New York street, reported that a $1000 bond had been given by August Feis and D. J. Murphy, binding them to put the street to grade if the city would build a bridge for them across Beaver Brook.

Councilman Braden asked whether, if a new Pawtucket bridge was built, a span of the present structure could be used for Beaver brook.

The city engineer replied that the span would be too long, and could not be used for a 40-foot bridge. Pawtucket bridge might be utilized for a narrower country bridge, and could be sold as such, but that was all.

The estimate for the Beaver brook bridge is $27,000. Alderman Molloy moved that it be recommended. Upon amendment of Councilman Greenwood it was voted to lay the matter upon the table. Messrs. Molloy and Roche opposed.

The committee voted to go to Boston today to inspect bridges, as the guests of a bridge contractor, who has patented a new kind of steel and concrete bridge, which is said to combine the good qualities of stone and iron at a less expense.

City Engineer Bowers gave a report on the proposed extension of Fifth avenue. The cost of the land taken would be $2315, the owners not desiring the extension of the avenue at this time.

It was voted to call for an estimate for the whole cost of the work.

The committee adjourned to Monday night.

BODY IDENTIFIED

PATRICK CUFF DIED EIGHT DAYS AGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WINOOSKI, Vt., Oct. 9.—A body which for eight days has been lying unclaimed and unrecognized in the rooms of a local undertaker has been identified as that of Patrick Cuff, of Providence, R. I. Relatives in that city will send funds to defray the expenses of the burial of the man. The identification was made by the man's sister, Miss Mary Cuff, who came here to visit her brother, not having heard of his death. She left town almost immediately after identifying the body, and the officials here then communicated with other relatives in Providence.

$10,000 DAMAGE

Caused by Water at Boston Fire

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—In extinguishing a fire which of itself caused a loss of but $5, in the Ruse, Ingalls and Evelyth Manufacturing plant on Bedford street last night, damage estimated at $10,000 was caused by a deluge of water from automatic sprinklers.

In addition to Ruse, Ingalls and Evelyth the building was occupied by the J. H. North company, dealers in hats, caps and gloves. The loss is about equally divided between the occupants.

CHESTER GOODWIN

WON HIS MATCH WITH BILLY SYNOTT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Oct. 9—Chester Goodwin of Chelsea won over Billy Synott of Fall River last night, in the 12th round, within 15 seconds of the time limit of the contest. Synott was game, but Goodwin was his master at all styles of fighting and gave Synott quite a punishing.

In the preliminaries Swords of Fall River won from Lew Dockstader of Camden, N. Y., and Bobby Tickle and Young Campbell went six rounds to a draw.

You can't expect to weave white satin with blackened hands, any more than you can expect good results from papers with a bogus circulation.

WEDDING GIFT...

We suggest to you, if it is to be a chair or rocker, that you see the handsome styles shown in the willow.

A very comfortable and durable chair for a living room. Cushions covered with French tapestries or cretonnes.

Adams & Co.,

Furniture and Carpets.

174 CENTRAL ST.

Appleton Bank Block.

RIFLE CONTEST

By Honorary Members of Company C

AT THE DRACUT RIFLE RANGE

Some Very Creditable Scores Made

The shoot of the honorary members of Co. C, M. V. M., was held yesterday afternoon at the Dracut rifle range, and proved to be a grand success, despite the rawness of the weather.

The crowd that gathered at the range included a number of leading men of this city and out of town military men, who are honorary members of the company and nothing but jollity and good fellowship reigned.

Many of the old timers were out of practice, but despite this the scores put up were good ones, the targets being 200 yards distant.

The scorers stationed at the shooting boxes were Corp. R. W. Eastman, Private R. J. Young, Musician M. J. Doyle, Privates C. J. Kelleher, G. B. Landgren and William Dunfey.

Two strings of five shots each were shot by the competitors, the preliminary string placing the men in two classes, divided among those who shot over 18 and those whose score was under that number. Prizes were offered for the preliminaries, as well as for the two final classes.

The winners' prizes and final scores were as follows:

Preliminaries—Captain Livingston, lamp given by G. H. Wood, 20; Lieut. A. D. Colby, clock, 19; Sergt. Alex Peters, chocolate pot, 19.

Second class—J. A. Williamson, military brushes, 24; W. Burnett, picture, 24; Jeremiah Murphy, stein, 22.

First class—Capt. O. M. Pratt, cup, 21.

Consolation prizes—P. C. Moore, stein, 21; Cyrus Barlen, pitcher, 21; R. W. Byam, tobacco jar, 20.

The number qualifying for the first class was so small that it was decided that but one prize would be offered in this class and that the others should be given as consolation prizes. Capt. Pratt was the successful man of the first class.

A large number of the men shot several strings outside of the shooting for prizes and excellent scores were made.

Mayor Howe made a score of 15 and Lieut. A. D. Colby scored 25 out of a possible 25 in a five-shot string. All shooting was interspersed with sociability and there was considerable bantering and joking about former days when the older members were more active in military circles and of the merry times at the encampment of the state militia.

Following the shooting a turkey supper was served in the hall after which there was speaking by a large number of the prominent older members. Col. R. S. Ripley was introduced by Capt. Kittredge as the toastmaster. Col. Ripley called upon Edwards Cheney as the representative of the mayor, who had left before the banquet, and Mr. Cheney spoke in an interesting manner on military matters and social affairs connected with the company.

Police Commissioner Pearson was then called upon and congratulated the members on the success of the event. He, too, went into the history of the company, stating that its organization dated back before the incorporation of the city of Lowell, 1836. Capt. Kimball, William Decatur, Capt. Pratt, City Clerk Dadman, E. L. Weaver, Lieut. Keyes, Charles Frost and others were called upon. For the press, Lawrence Cummings, Edgar M. Hill, C. Frederick Goldthwaite and Willis Bean were called upon and each spoke briefly. Fire Chief Hosmer was called and made a few interesting remarks.

Much of the success of the event is due to the efforts of Capt. Kittredge, and the lieutenants and non-commissioned officers who assisted.

SENT TO JAIL

COLORED MEN DISTURBED A MEETING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Granville Martin and William M. Trotter, the two colored men found guilty of disturbing a meeting in the Columbus avenue church when Booker T. Washington was present, were yesterday sentenced by Judge Sherman in the superior criminal court to serve 30 days in jail.

ON THE ALLEYS

PASTIMES DEFEATED BY THE BELVIDERES.

The Belvideres of this city defeated the Pastimes of Nashua on Les Miserables alleys last night in a duck pin game. The local aggregation lost the first string, but the second and third they won by good margins. Bowen of the winning team was high man with a three-string total of 273.

The score:

Belvideres—Cole 232, Queenan 258, Bowen 273, Fullerton 257, King 261; totals 1281.

Pastimes—Tewksbury 229, Wheeler 237, Ward 219, McQuestion 260, Mason 257; totals 1202.

HIGH ROLLERS DOWNED.

The clerks of the Boston & Maine railroad defeated the High Rollers in a game of duck pins last night. The score:

Boston & Maine Clerks—Paradis 224, Cole 228, Congoshall 233, Shay, 251, Edgell 218; totals 1187.

High Rollers—Richardson 220, Snowman 217, Butterfield 239, McDonald 239, Stearns 219; totals 1137.

SOCIAL AND DANCE

UNDER AUSPICES OF LINCOLN CLUB.

The Lincoln club held a pleasant social and dance in Associate hall last evening, which was attended by about 100 couples. The evening was passed in a most delightful manner by those in attendance. The Appalachian orchestra furnished music for the dancers. The hall was decorated in an attractive manner with settings of palms and potted plants about the stage and other adornments in different parts of the hall.

The general manager was Clarence Baker. He was assisted by Z. A. Palmaudo as floor director and members of the club acted as aids.

THE BIG BARGAIN SHOE STORE

39c Children's Jersey Leggins, all button, knee high, sizes 5 to 10, manufactured to sell for 50c. Our price **39c**

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Nos. 119 and 121 Merrimack Street, Lowell, Mass.

LADIES BLACK FELT SLIPPERS—plush trimmed, flannel lined, other stores ask 50c. Our price **39c**

LADIES' UP-TO-DATE RUBBERS—first quality, Hood make, regular price 50c. Our price **29c**

LADIES' LAMB WOOL SOLES—regular price 19c. Our price **15c**

LADIES' PATENT AND KID ONE STRAP DANCING SLIPPERS—sizes 2½ to 7, regular price $1.00. Our price **69c**

MISSES' BOX CALF SCHOOL SHOES—leather lined, sizes 12 to 2, made with low heel and solid leather soles, regular price $1.50. Our price **$1.19**

CHILDREN'S BOX CALF SCHOOL SHOES—made with heavy soles, sizes 9 to 11, regular price 65c. Our price **49c**

CHILDREN'S DONGOLA KID SHOES—made with heavy soles, lace only, sizes 5 to 8, regular 50c shoes. Our price **39c**

LITTLE GENTS SATIN CALF SCHOOL SHOES—made with low heels and solid leather soles, regular price 89c. Our price **69c**

YOUTHS "NO RIP" SCHOOL SHOES—sizes 8½ to 2, solid leather soles and heels, sold everywhere for $1.25. Our price **98c** Boys' sizes 2½ to 5, $1.19.

YOUTHS' OIL GRAIN "NON-RIP" SCHOOL SHOES—all solid, warranted not to rip, sizes 13 to 2, made to sell for $1.00. Our price **69c**

MEN'S $3.00 WARRANTED BOX CALF ENAMEL SHOES—We give you a new pair for every pair that breaks. All hand sewed. Our price **$2.29**

MEN'S FELT SHOES—felt soles, warm lined, later in the season everybody will ask you $1.50 and $2.00. Our price **$1.19**

19c Ladies' 10-Button Overgaiters—sizes 3 to 8. Later in the season other dealers will ask you 29c. Our price **19c**

We Repair Shoes as They Ought to be Repaired—Strictly Hand Work

Clothing Facts From The . . . . . **Merrimack**

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Importance of Being Well Dressed

There is no longer any excuse for business men not dressing up-to-date. It is neither good business nor good taste, and a business man who does not recognize this fact is at least exercising very poor judgment. He errs just in the same way that many a new housewife does, who thinks that after she gets married and takes up household duties, she need have no further concern about her appearance, when as a matter of fact, she ought to be as careful about these things after marriage as before. It would have a salutary effect upon her husband. And so it is with the business man of today who approaches you upon any business proposition, who is not dressed neatly and in fashion, his wares are at a disadvantage.

Business suits should be neat, not over stylish, they can be well fitted, but not over expensive. You can no longer claim that you have not time to go to the tailor, you can come into the Merrimack and get a hand-finished suit to please any taste, to fit any figure from $15 upwards, and good ones for less than that price—but our hand finished ones begin at $15, and when they cost more than that, the difference comes in finer material and extra workmanship.

We would thank you to study the prices and the descriptions of the garments mentioned below. We would ask you to bear in mind that any garment bought here is not yours until you are satisfied, that we will keep them pressed for you while they last, and that any garment that does not prove satisfactory will be replaced. Can anything be fairer?

Hand Finished Suits

$15

With the arrival of a couple styles yesterday, the fifteen dollar line of hand-finished fall suits is complete.

Thirty-five styles in all—young men's and men's—to pick from in this line at $15.00.

Shuman's and "Eff Eff" models—the Princeton, Smartsac and Gramercy—give variety to the makes. Coats have broad shoulders, easy fitting backs and short skirts. The collars and shoulders are about perfect—hand tailoring is responsible for it.

About every fabric style is included in the assortment—Black Thibet and worsted cheviots, plain mixed cassimeres in neat effects, and bright Scotch mixtures, so popular with the younger fellows this season—all tastes are catered to in the $15.00 line, the biggest and most worthy shown by any house.

The Merrimack originated the hand-finished feature in $15.00 suits and top coats in Lowell, and has always given prominence to garments at this price. We say, buy a fifteen dollar suit if you can afford it—it's economy for you—at no less price can you get so much for your money.

Better cloths and more expert making in the finer ones, of course—nobby, exclusive styles at $18.00, $20.00, $22.00, $23.00, $25.00 and $28.00.

High Grade Top Coats

$20

Our finest top coats are now $20.00. Covert cloths and Venetians of splendid weight—can be worn for four weeks yet—in olive, tan and oxford shades.

They're strictly "jour." tailored: the collar, shoulders and lapels are padded and felled by hand, and the buttonholes are hand sewn, quite an addition to the cost of making, but more than worth it in service.

They're cut 32 and 34 inches long, broad chested, fit the collar snugly, and hang loosely from the shoulders.

Many in the line: the silk lined garments—were priced at $25.00.

They're excellent values at $20.00.

A Worthy Rain Coat

All Wool and Well Tailored

$10

A low price for such a garment when you consider the length.

It's all wool—in an olive shade of covert cloth—cut 52 inches long, has broad shoulders, satin lined, and will shed rain.

The ten dollar price is unusual for such a coat—it's worth two dollars more.

Sterling Values in Clothes for Boys

Honest fabrics and excellent tailoring combine to produce clothes that wear and hold their shape.

Double Breast and Norfolk Suits

The jacket suit—plain, double breasted or single breasted Norfolk—is the popular boys' suit for fall.

They can be had here as low as $2.00 for either style and you can pay as high as $7.00.

The best showing is at $5.00—these are from our best makers—which means that the fit and the making are the best produced in America.

These $5.00 suits are made of sturdy materials—worsted cheviots, fancy cheviots and double-and-twist cassimeres—that keep the active boy guessing to wear them out.

There are eight styles at this price to choose from—all pure wool or wool and worsted.

Three-Piece Suits for boys 10 to 17 years, in plain colors and fancy mixtures, $5.00, $6.00, $7.50 and $10.00.

Sailor Suits, including the new double breasted sailor with eton collar—made from plain serges and undressed worsteds, in blue, royal, red and brown, at $3.00, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

Russian Suits, in similar cloths, for little fellows 2½ years to 6—a choice showing of new styles, at $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

The new Overcoats are ready.

Merrimack Clothes are Carefully Fitted and Altered Where Necessary by Jour. Tailors Before the Sale, and Are Kept Pressed Free After, at Customers' Pleasure.

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PREPARATION

Cold winds will soon be blowing. The birds have already taken their wev towards southern homes. Nature is putting on the garb of autumn and everything speaks of the coming winter. If men and women put off buying until need time came everybody would be overwhelmed, nothing could be properly done. Why not prepare for the time that is coming and visit The Bon Marche today or tomorrow. The stocks are bright and glittering, new things from the four corners of the earth are here on review, and you cannot find a better time in the whole season to lay in your winter supply than RIGHT NOW. Read over this list of attractions and see if some one of them hasn't the necessary compelling influence to turn your steps hitherward.

Trimmed Hats

AT $2.98

This stylish Hat is on the tailored order. The foundation is of pure white Scotch felt, bound with a stitched band of silk. The bell crown is surrounded by a wreath of snowy coquetitfts. A smart velvet bow relieves the left side.

AT $3.98

The popular champagne shade. The brim is bound with stitched silk. Wings in brown and white are caught to the top with a large bow of brown velvet ribbon in a most attractive manner.

AT $4.98

The foundation of this Hat is of taffata silk in folds. The bell crown is surrounded by a wreath of black chenille pompons. Silk ribbon forms a smart bow at the side. A large square jet buckle finishes the back.

AT $5.98

This graceful shape is developed in oxford grey felt. The wide brim is rolled high at the left side. Many loops of narrow black satin ribbon form a band around the crown. The two plumes are finished with jet quill ends.

Zibeline Walking Suit

$15.98

Satin lined blouse skirted coat with box plaited back, deep shoulder, cape in the new pointed effect, with other trimmings of piped taffeta and buttons. The skirt is a 9-gored flare, tailor finish (blue only.)

A Steel Costume

$18.98

A copy of a high priced suit. Very fine mixtures. Coat is made with belted half fitted back and box front. Large mutton leg sleeves, Gauntlet cuffs. Steel ornament trimmings front and back. Guaranteed satin lining. Seven gored flare skirt with welted seams. Look at costumes five or six dollars higher in price, then compare with this one.

English Covert Suit

$22.50

All wool English covert (tan color), deep skirted blouse, with sailor stitched strapping front and back. New bishop sleeves, lining of fine satin, skirt full gored flare with trimmings to match coat.

A Dress Suit

$27.50

All wool Lymansville cheviot, side plaited Russian blouse jacket, collarless effect, with scalloped cape. Cappe has trimmings of fancy braid, taffeta silk lining. Coat opens to show vest which has trimmings of black and red on bands of white embroidery. The skirt is made to conform to the fashion of the coat.

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Thousands of articles suitable for Christmas gifts. We have recently placed orders for the finest and largest line of premiums ever offered by a trading stamp concern. This line will commence to arrive at our stores within a few weeks, and will be complete by the latter part of November.

If you expend a reasonable amount of energy between now and Christmas time, you can fill many books with "Sperry & Hutchinson" Green Trading Stamps. Through them

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Waists and Silk Petticoats

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FANCY CHEVIOT WAISTS, 98c each—White, front composed of six deep tucks and two large medallions, French back, large sleeves.

ZIBELINE WAISTS, $1.25 each—Grey, full front of six tucks and fancy black buttons, plain back, new sleeves and fancy stock.

STRIPED CHEVIOT WAISTS, $1.49 each—Has black dots, tucked front, trimmed with large fancy buttons, French back, 2 in. cuff and new stock.

SCOTCH FLANNEL WAISTS, $1.98 each—Fancy effects, full front, French back, large sleeves, and fancy stock.

Charming Silk Petticoats

We select three numbers for publicity, not because they are the best numbers we have in stock, but because they are the most representative styles we could select. We would like to have you examine this assemblage of stylish garments. We know the reasonableness of the prices garments. We know the reasonableness of the prices will appeal to your sense of thrift even as their beauty will call forth your words of praise.

NO. 1, TAFFETA SILK PETTICOAT, $4.98—Black only, good quality Taffeta, flounce composed of 3-5 in. ruffles and deep hem, also dust ruffle; all sizes up to 44 in.

NO. 2, CHANGEABLE SILK PETTICOAT, $5.98—Good quality silk, 10 in. flounce with three strapped circulars; green, red, blue and grey; changeable and black.

NO. 3, COLORED SILK PETTICOATS, $6.98—Extra heavy quality silk, 15 in. flounce with three deep circulars, balance of flounce finished with eight rows of hemstitching, also dust ruffle.

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Ingalls' Laundry Goods

'Tis done simply to introduce a splendid laundry article. Makes ironing a pleasure. Keeps the irons smooth and gives a fine finish to the garments.

DEMONSTRATION IN THE BASEMENT.

Dress Trimmings

'Tis well nigh impossible in these columns to give any adequate idea of the beauty of these assortments. They have been selected with the greatest care and we can assure our public that they will find upon our shelves all the wantable things in vogue this coming autumn season. Just a few hints regarding styles and prices.

WOOD SILK BRAIDS, 8c to $2.00 yard—In plain and openwork designs, plain and fancy edges, narrow and wide, black and colors. We carry over 100 styles of this swell trimming, for it is "the" thing this fall.

APPLIQUES, 25c to $4.00 yard—The colorings are exquisite; Rosebud designs that rival their prototypes in beauty, Leaf and Vine patterns that are striking copies of the natural, Medallions, Persians, effects that make you clutch your pocketbook tight if they are beyond your limit in price; all in all the handsomest line we have ever shown.

BLACK SPANGLED TRIMMINGS, 50c to $5.00 yard—Bands, medallions, ornaments, edges and all-over effects.

BLACK SILK FRINGES, 89c to $2.00 yard.

BAND TRIMMINGS, 12½c to $2.00 yard—Black and fancy colors.

ORNAMENTS, 10c to $1.00 each—Black, white and colors, plain and fringe effects.

FUR TRIMMINGS, 12½c to $2.00 yard—Coney, Beaver, Nurria, Bear, Sable, Opossum, Pink, Imitation Ermine, White Lamp, Grey Crimmer, Squirrel, Chinchilla, Swansdown, Fur Heads, Tails, etc.

FALL SHOWING OF . . . . .

Dress Goods and Silks

CAMEL'S HAIR CLOTH, 49c yard—38 in. wide, all colors.

GRANITE CLOTH, 59c yard—44 in. wide, all the new shades.

ENGLISH SUITINGS, $1.00 yard—50 in. wide, "broken stripes."

PARISIAN SUITINGS, $1.50 yard—56 in. wide, block plaids in blue and white and black and white.

PRIESTLEY'S CRAVENETTES, $2.00 yard—60 in. wide, absolutely water proof, sponged and shrunk, dark Oxfords and browns.

GERMAN NOVELTIES, $1.00 yard—56 in. wide, extra heavy.

CAMEL'S HAIR CLOTH, $1.00 yard—52 in. wide, panne finish, in blue, brown and green.

COVERT CLOTH, $1.00 yard—52 in. wide, browns and tans, a splendid material for long coats.

FINETTA, 89c yard—44 in. wide, in blues, browns, greens, modes and black.

CAMEL'S HAIR BOUCLE, $1.50 yard—56 in. wide.

BLACK TAFFETA SILK, 69c yard—It is 27 in. wide, full lustre, guaranteed wear. A silk that should and does sell for 89c yard, except on special occasions. This is one of the special occasions, so we have marked it 69c yard. Think of it! A saving of 20c a yard. A splendid thing for Shirt Waist Suits. (Note the width.)

BLACK PEAU DE SOIE SILK, 69c yard—And usually sells for the same price as the Taffeta (89c yard). It is a very soft finish and double face. The width is 21 inches.

HEAVY GRANITE SUITING, 75c yard—It is 50 in. wide and readily sells for 98c yard, but for this sale we have marked it at above price. The colors are black and white and blue and white.

HEAVY MELTON, $1.00 yard—It is 56 in. wide, strictly all wool, beautifully finished, and comes in all the wantable shades, such as brown, navy and dark medium and light greys. The regular price on this material is $1.25 per yard.

The Shoe Dept.

Is richer by a "bran-nu" line of Women's Shoes. They were made by one of the best known makers of footwear in this country. Every pair bears the indelible stamp of worthiness and our guarantee accompanies every pair that leaves our store. They are a popular price and are made upon new and up-to-date lasts. The styles are **Lace and Button in Vici Kid, Dongola and Box Calf, either Patent Leather or self Tips; some have heavy soles for street wear, others lighter soles for dress occasions.**

You can't go wrong if you invest in a pair of "The Bon Marche" (that's their brand) Shoes. The price **$2.00 PAIR**

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Jewelry Section

PEARL BELT BROOCHES, 25c each—In oval, square, round and heart shaped; plain and carved. These are an odd lot we picked up very cheap, some of them are worth $1.00 while none in the lot sold for less than 50c.

LOCKETS, 59c each—Gold with fancy stone settings. Just the idea for a bead chain.

BEAD CHAINS, 50c each—Lorgnette length, a leading novelty. We secured 5 gross at an unheard-of price. Some are worth $1.50, some $1.00. We put them on sale this morning at above price.

HAT PINS, 7c each—In Silver, Gun Metal Oxodized, Royal Copper, and Gilt. Every pin is worth and has always sold for 25c.

TWELVE STRONG ITEMS

In Domestics

BLEACHED SHEETS, Each 39c—Size 72x90, good cotton; 50c would be the proper price.

SKIRT PATTERNS, Each 23c—Plain and Fancy Flannelettes.

FACE CLOTHS, Each 2c—Turkish—5c value.

TOWELS, Each 10c—Huckaback size 19x41 (please note the size), always 12½c each.

COMFORTERS, Each 98c—Full size, filled with pure white cotton. $1.25 would be a reasonable price.

DOMET FLANNEL, Yard 3½c—White, good width always 5c yard.

DIAPER CLOTH, Piece 39c—18 inches wide, slightly imperfect. Perfect goods, sell at 69c piece.

BERKSHIRE PLAIDS, Yard 12½c—Best quality, excellent for school dresses.

BLANKETS, Pair 49c—10x4, white, grey or tan, all perfect.

HANDKERCHIEFS, Each 2c—Women's hemstitched. A big bargain.

BATH ROBE BLANKETS, Each $2.39—31 styles and colorings, a leader at above price.

SASH CURTAINS, Pair 25c—All made, ready to put up, full yard long, stripes and dots.

Toilet Specials

CUTICURA SOAP, 17c.
WOODBURY'S SOAP, 14c.
COMFORT POWDER.
HINDS' H. & A. CREAM, 33c.
R. & G. TOILET WATER, 65c.
R. & G. TOILET SOAP, 17c.

HARK! WE ARE TALKING TO YOU ABOUT

Men's Goods

MEN'S HEAVY GREY SWEATERS, 49c Each—(Worth 69c).

MEN'S HEAVY DOG-SKIN GLOVES, $1.15—(Tanneris) worth $1.50.

MEN'S HEAVY WOOL HOSE, 2 Pairs for 25c—And we have actually sold the selfsame stocking for 25c pair.

Something for That

Sweet Tooth

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SADIE MAC WON

Smathers' Horse Took Kentucky Futurity

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 9—Sadie Mac., E. E. Smathers' recent purchase, yesterday won the historic Kentucky futurity for 3 year olds, without apparent effort in three straight heats, going the last mile in 2.12 3-4, which is two seconds short of the record made by Ferrno, three years ago. She won by several lengths in each heat and only at one time was she in danger and that was in the first seven eighths of the first mile, when Ethel's Pride kept nose to nose with her, Ethel's Pride, however, broke and finished bad in all three heats. The two mares made the first quarter in 32 seconds.

The pure gaited little trotter with frictionless mechanism utilized every movement of her body in shortening the distance between her and the goal. Every muscle that she brought into play counted for time and distance. The track was lumpy and damp and fully three seconds slow when the starters in the Tennessee stake were called at 2 o'clock.

Sunshine and harrows had gotten the track into a little better shape by the time the futurity was called. Among 5000 people who saw Sadie Mac take the first money was Mr. Johnson, of Calais, Me., who sold her as a yearling for $1000.

Her driver, Ar. McDonald, sold her to Mr. Smathers Tuesday for $30,000.

Baron Gale, Katherine A., and Lizzie A., won second, third and fourth, respectively.

Grace Bond, favorite for second place, won the two year old futurity in straight heats, going the first heat in 2.17 3-4, three and three quarters seconds short of the record made by Katherine A., last year.

Nervola won the Tennessee 2.08 pacing race in three heats and the operators, were in many cases, so chilled and weak that they could scarcely stand after leaving their machines.

TOOK HIS CLOTHES

NASHUA MAN FELL INTO HANDS OF ROBBERS.

Charles O'Nell of Nashua came to Lowell recently and when he returned to his own fireside it was found that his wearing apparel, including his shoes and necktie, had been changed for ones that were almost worthless. He was half-starved and weary when he got home.

DIVORCE GRANTED

TO WIFE OF ABSCONDING TREASURER ALLEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Judge Grant of the probate court, yesterday, granted the petition of Mrs. Adaline A. Allen, asking for a degree that will permit her to live apart from her husband, Willard S. Allen, the absconding treasurer of the Preachers' Aid society.

She alleged that she was the lawful wife of Allen and that he had failed to furnish her with suitable support, having deserted her without cause and that she, for justifiable cause, was living apart from him. She named three children, Chester W., Mary A., and Clara Allen.

She asserted she wanted to be relieved of coverture so as to enable her to dispose of her real and personal property without her husband's consent.

There was no opposition to the granting of the petition, so it was allowed. Mrs. Allen may sell the house in Lexington street and any other property coming to her by reason of her marriage.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.48	6.50	d 6.00	7.07
6.22	7.40	6.30	7.26
a6.39	7.30	7.34	8.54
6.42	7.58	8.25	9.01
a7.01	8.02	c8.00	9.38
e7.24	8.10	9.20	9.67
7.31	8.50	c10.00	10.37
7.45	8.35	10.17	11.34
8.50	9.40	c11.30	12.07
9.40	10.40	12.00	12.56
11.00	12.03	c1.00	1.38
e11.43	12.25	1.15	1.54
s12.14	1.00	2.00	3.01
1.40	2.50	c3.00	3.38
e1.56	2.30	3.47	5.00
3.05	4.20	4.14	5.30
e3.47	4.30	c5.00	5.58
4.02	4.45	5.38	6.26
4.25	5.30	5.47	6.54
e5.22	6.15	6.14	7.27
5.44	7.10	e7.30	8.08
e6.22	7.05	e8.30	9.08
e7.19	8.00	10.30	11.34
8.42	9.35	11.20	12.22

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.34	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.02	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.30	4.55
2.30	3.44	4.25	5.45
3.10	4.10	4.50	6.20
3.55	6.04	6.04	7.05
5.00	6.43	6.35	7.46
6.15	7.15	8.20	10.40
7.00	8.06	B11.15	12.15
8.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.26	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.25
6.30	6.55	8.40	9.50
8.45	9.45		

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SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
s6.39	7.30	9.00	10.02
7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.40	5.05	5.58
9.20	10.12	e7.30	8.08
e4.25	5.30	e6.30	9.08
e5.58	7.00	9.00	10.02

LOCAL NEWS

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AT THE CASTO.

Especial care is taken in the selection of each program at the Casto theatre that there is something which will please the children. Every Saturday afternoon sees the Casto crowded with the school children, for like their elders they know that at the Casto they can secure a very pleasant two hours' enjoyment. For this week the program headed by Edward M. Favor and Edith Sheldy in their merry comedy, "The McGuires," contains some of the best acts in the vaudeville world, and they are sure to please the children. Tomorrow evening is the last performance for this show and reserved seats should be secured in order to avoid the crowd. These may be obtained at the box office from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. or by calling telephone 816-3.

CAPT. FRANK DEAD

WAS FORMER PRESIDENT OF ROYAL GARRISON BAND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 9.—H. C. Franks, captain and adjutant of the Royal garrison regiment, died here last night. He was 41 years of age, had seen 17 years' service and was a popular officer. He was band president of the Royal garrison regimental band, now at Boston, previous to Capt. Sampson being appointed to that position, and was a favorite with the members of the band. He will be buried with full military honors Saturday. He was a son of Gen. Franks of the British army. He served with distinction with the frontier forces on the west coast of Africa from 1887 to 1888 and was mentioned in dispatches.

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AT REGISTRATION

Democrats Started It Yesterday

WILL BOOM FROM NOW UNTIL CLOSE

Two Big Democratic Rallies Coming

The democratic city committee started registration at full blast yesterday afternoon, and from 1 to 3 o'clock while the registrars' office was open, the lower corridors of City hall contained quite a gathering, while the clarion voice of Assessor Mahoney rang out from the assessors' office as he piled his questions to applicants for tax bills.

Several of the democratic candidates were present at City hall during the session of registration, and all were most hopeful of a big democratic registration.

Chairman Quinn of the democratic city committee yesterday received a communication from the state central committee inviting him to select a date for a big rally as soon as possible so that the best speakers may be sent to Lowell. Chairman Quinn informed The Sun reporter that it is the intention of the city committee to hold two big rallies in this city before state election, while it is probable that the senatorial and representative candidates will have district or ward rallies.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At a meeting of the Y. M. C. I. of Belvidere, last evening, plans were made for a social to be held in Huntington hall, Thanksgiving evening, and a committee of twenty was appointed as follows:—

Geo. Clark, Harry Finley, Howard Wood, Patrick Mooney, Eugene Sullivan, Benjamin McMinamin, John Green, Joseph McCarron, Edward Quinlan, Charles Burns, Bert Burnham, Anthony Doyle, Arthur T. McQuade, John F. Martin, Edward F. Shea, Robert Whalen, Thomas Kelley, Wm. Clark, A. S. Romtree, John X. Payne, Daniel A. McQuade, Thomas A'Hearn, Joseph Courtney, Arthur J. McQuade.

At the last regular meeting of Lowell Commandery, Knights of Malta, the black degree was conferred upon five candidates. One applicant was elected to membership. The committee on whist party was empowered to make that event a mixed party instead of a gentleman's party as originally projected. Preliminary arrangements were made for a visit to Newburyport Nov. 6, at which time the Lowell staff will work the Red Cross on the occasion of the institution of a new commandery in that city.

The regular session of Merrimack Valley Lodge, I. O. O. F. M. C., was held last evening at the lodge rooms with a large attendance. One application for membership was received. The lodge will hold its eleventh anniversary Thursday evening, Oct. 22. Essex lodge of Lawrence has been invited.

Refreshments will be served and a musical program given.

The regular meeting of Washington Commandery, United Order of the Golden Cross, was held last night and was very largely attended. One candidate was initiated. Plans for the proper observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the order were discussed, and among other things it was voted to invite the brother members of seven commanderies to participate in the ceremonies. An excursion for the members of the order will be held in the near future. The proper negotiations for the payment of a death claim of $2000 were made.

The Pilgrim Fathers of the Bay State Colony had an installation of officers last night.

Governor Shannon was in the chair and had charge of the business meeting. The following officers were elected: Governor, James Taylor; lieutenant governor, Ella Murphy; secretary, Jonathan Webster; treasurer, Dennis Dillsworth; collector, Charles W. Matherson; chaplain, Martha Mott; sergeant-at-arms, Solomon McAlpin; deputy sergeant-at-arms, Mr. Coolidge; sentry of the inner gate, Pilgrim Warren; sentry of the outer gate, Pilgrim Abbott; pianist, Miss Johnson; trustee for three years, Pilgrim Warren.

The installation service was performed by Deputy Supreme Bughee of Lawrence. The dinner was served under the direction of Pilgrim Lady Taylor and staff.

The retiring governor was quite surprised by his friends by being presented with an ex-governor's jewel. Mr. Bughee made the presentation speech, which was fittingly answered by the recipient of the gift.

A good time of song followed the dinner. One of the features of the evening was a speech by retiring sergeant-at-arms Wilbur.

The Solon W. Stevens Debating society held a well attended meeting last night, discussing the subject: "Is Marriage a Failure?" A good debate has been arranged for October 22.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

THE HONOURABLES

GIVEN RECEPTION IN MADISON SQUARE GARDEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 9—Last night the Honourables were given a reception at the Old Guard fair in Madison Square Garden by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston, with other local and visiting military organizations.

Besides the London and Boston companies there were present 40 members of the Newport Artillery, accompanied by the band of the Seventh Artillery Corps, stationed at Fort Adams, Newport, R. I., and ninety men of the Ninth regiment, New York National Guard. The most picturesque of all the citizen soldiery there were the Minute Men of Washington.

The Honourables and Ancients began to arrive at the garden about 9 o'clock after they had been given a banquet at the Waldorf-Astoria by George C. Boldt.

Col. Hedges, commander of the Boston Ancients, and Adjutant General Dalton of the staff of Gov. Bates of Massachusetts, arrived with the majority of the company from Boston about 10 o'clock and were shown around the booths by Major Briggs, of the Old Guard. Soon after, the Earl of Denbigh, with Lady Denbigh, and Sir Thomas Lipton came in and made a tour of all the attractions and then went to a theatre.

CAPT. BARTHOLOMEW DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 9.—Captain Perry Bartholomew, treasurer and paymaster of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, who has been ill for some time with lung trouble, died at his home here yesterday.

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JOHN M. FARRELL, Auctioneer
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Heirs' Sale of Real Estate at Public Auction
SATURDAY, Oct. 10, 1903, at 2 P. M.
RAIN OR SHINE

By consent of the heirs of the late Thomas Gallagher, I will sell to the highest bidder, the eight room house and about 3623 square feet of land, more or less, situated on the southerly side of West Sixth street, No. 152.

This house was built of the very best material and great pains was taken to have a very comfortable home. It has three very pleasant chambers up stairs, large hall, parlor, sitting room, dining room, sewing room, kitchen, bath room with hot and cold water; all lighted with gas, with pretty gas fixtures in every room. Has a high posted, well lighted cellar, with cemented bottom; water closets, sewer, and everything that a person would wish in a home.

The house is 1½ story, with bay window, set up well from the street, with piazza on the side that leads to a very pretty garden, with grass lawn, set out with pear, plum, apple, cherry, and peach trees; grape vine trails over shed in rear, also shrubs, etc. Has concrete walks, sidewalks and edge stones all in, is well fenced, in fact there is not one thing to be done to this place that could improve it.

As this is an heir sale to settle this estate, it is a positive sale, and I invite the public to attend.

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